

"Nearly Guilty of Subornation of Perjury"

Says Ruef's Lawyer

IN HOT SCATHING OF HENEY AND ALL OTHER PROSECUTORS

REFUSES RUEF PROSECUTORS' DEPOSITIONS

Attorney Murphy Argues Against Indictment, While Ex-Boss Makes Affidavits.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Francis J. Ruef and the graft prosecution came to a strong grilling at the hands of Attorney Murphy, representing Ruef, during the hearing of the Ruef case in Judge Lawlor's court this morning, and Attorney O'Garra was treated to several stunts which he forcibly resented at the conclusion of the defense's argument.

Murphy was referring to immunity contracts and the good faith of the prosecution. He stated that Henev had been passing up and down the coast with immunity contracts bulging in his pockets, and had been passing them out with a heavy hand, and yet the assistant district attorney had come into court and said the prosecution had no right to grant immunity. Murphy's remarks caused the dramatic when he stated that he believed that the defense would show that the prosecution had been guilty of crimes, or nearly guilty of crimes of subornation of perjury.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Arguments in the case of Abraham Ruef on indictment No. 22, found by the grand jury, were heard this morning in Judge Lawlor's court by Attorney Murphy, representing the defendant. Ruef was not in court, having been given permission by Judge Lawlor to go to Attorney Aoki's office and arrange affidavits.

Before beginning the argument Attorney Murphy endeavored to get the court to make an order for the taking of the depositions of Francis J. Henev, William H. Langdon, W. J. Burns, and Rudolph Spedding, Frank H. Dunne and William D. Layton, but the court refused to make the order at this time.

"At the request of Mr. Aoki I wish to make an application and affidavit for the taking of affidavits of certain witnesses this afternoon," began Attorney Murphy.

Refuses Application.

"I will now hear the arguments in the case of Abraham Ruef," said the court. "I will not entertain the application now."

"But, your honor please, some of the witnesses have so far refused to make their affidavits," said Murphy.

"The matter on the calendar is the hearing of the arguments on the objections of the defense," said Judge Lawlor. "Proceed."

"At the records show the application and the refusal of the court to entertain it," said Murphy.

The application, which was in the form of an affidavit, signed by Ruef, stated that "this affiant expects to show that each and all of the said persons

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Following the closing of the argument for the defense by Murphy Judge Lawlor ruled that it was proper for the court to inquire into the circumstances of the immunity contract between Abraham Ruef and the prosecution. The court at the same time denied the motion of the defense to amend the minutes relative to Ruef's arraignment last May.

JAPAN'S YIELDING TO U. S. STARTS BITTER OPPOSITION

Mikado Agrees to Keep Coolies Away

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

TOKIO, Feb. 12.—The memorandum of the Japanese government in reply to that of the United States on the subject of emigration was handed to Ambassador O'Brien today.

It is understood that it agrees in the general terms with a number of suggestions made by the American government, and insures a further restriction of emigration by the practical prohibition of laborers. The Japanese government points out that the restrictions already enforced, including the closing of emigration to Canada, Mexico and the Hawaiian Islands, will make future complaints from American almost impossible.

Oppose Restrictions.

Every evidence goes to prove that the Japanese government has been sparing in its efforts to avoid further complications resulting from the emigration question, but the government is facing a

powerful opposition from the emigration companies who are behind a proposed resolution to the Diet to censure the foreign policy of Viscount Hayashi, minister of foreign affairs, toward China, America and Canada.

Should the resolution be introduced in the Diet it will probably be defeated by a narrow margin.

Cabinet Crisis.

Its passage would certainly entail the resignation of the cabinet. Should the cabinet be changed, the best informed Japanese believe that a new administration would closely follow the emigration policy of Minister Hayashi.

Ex-Ambassador Aoki, since his arrival, has not called upon the foreign office nor has he submitted a report upon the situation at Washington, but has assumed an attitude of unfeelingness to Minister Hayashi. It is believed that Aoki is joining the forces opposing the foreign office.

'Baby' John and His Mother

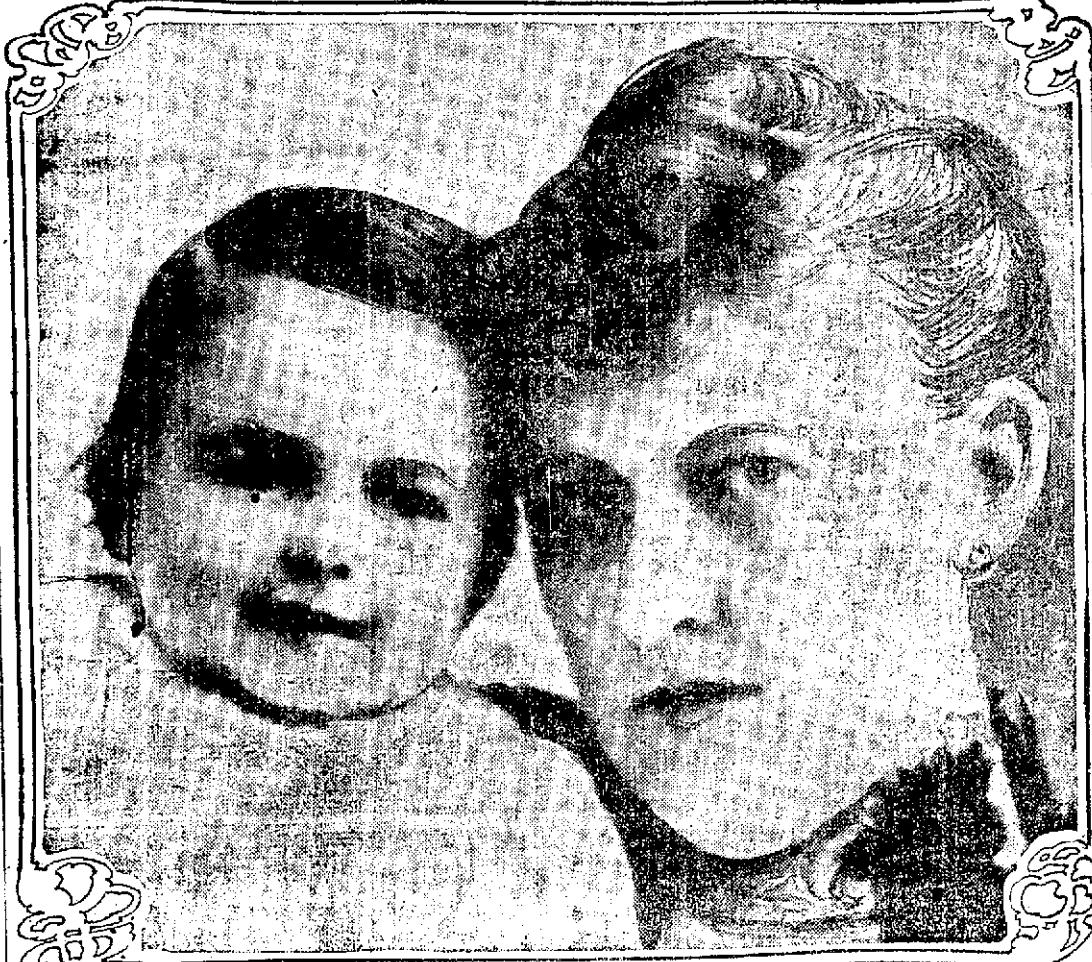


Photo Used as Claim to Prove Boy Princess' Son

A photograph is here shown of Mrs. Isabella J. Martin and her son, the famous "Baby John." It was taken many years ago and has until now never been published and very rarely exhibited by Mrs. Martin.

It was procured from her by a special correspondent of THE TRIBUNE during the course of a talk with the woman in jail.

Most remarkable tales have been woven about this photograph by Mrs. Martin. It was the basis of her claim that "Baby" John was really a son of the noted Princess Chimay, she calling attention to the likeness between the child and the princess.

The baby as shown as he is in life now, is the darkest type, while his mother, Mrs. Martin, is light and John Martin, the father, being of a sandy complexion.

In a story the other day obtained exclusively by THE TRIBUNE from "Baby" John, he insists his mother, Mrs. Martin, told him that he was not her child, but had been adopted from a New York hospital, she feigning maternity to carry out schemes.

Mrs. Martin denies this, has alleged the boy was the son of the Princess Chimay, and then again, claimed he was her own son.

At the time of the death of her husband's wealthy brother she contested the will left by him, alleging the boy was really his son.

The mystery of stories and statements made for and against each other by this couple are becoming the wonder of the world.

MRS. MARTIN MAY BE BROUGHT BACK HERE TO BE TRIED ON FELONY CHARGE

Trinity County Officials Pledge Themselves to Try Her if No Conviction Made in Oakland

By Edward H. O'Brien, Special Correspondent

WEAVERVILLE, Feb. 12.—Detective Hoagland and Deputy District Attorney Donohue permitted Mrs. Martin today to hear their investigations concerning her alleged connection with the attempt to

destroy the home of Judge Ogden in Oakland. When the injury was closed at noon Detective Hoagland stated to THE TRIBUNE correspondent that he would say nothing about the matter until tomorrow.

There is a diversion of sentiment in this community as to whether or not Mrs. Martin should be allowed to leave this city to undergo a trial in Oakland for the attempt to blow up the home of Judge Ogden. People are astounded by

a statement published to the effect that this county is too small to withstand the strain upon its treasury which would be made by a law trial.

Demand Trial.

They hold that the county is able to take care of its own criminals. They know, they say, that Mrs. Martin had committed crimes in Trinity and said that it is this county that should send

her to the penitentiary. Though they are willing to have Mrs. Martin taken to Oakland, they state that in the event of her not being convicted that she must surely be brought back to this county to have justice done.

District Attorney Hall has pledged himself that if Mrs. Martin should not be convicted in Oakland she certainly will be returned here for trial. Mrs. Martin says that the people of Trinity county are arrayed against her, and is desirous of taking chances in Oakland regardless of the fact that she would have to come back here in the event of escaping conviction in Oakland.

So far as the accused woman is concerned, not long ago at a meeting of the local fire department, every member was appointed a committee of one in the event of finding Mrs. Martin roaming around the streets at night, to report the fact immediately to Chief Barnickel. When Mrs. Martin was being brought back from Redding, after she and "Baby John" had been held to answer for the burning of the Morris barn, some of the residents talked of lynching the woman the moment she should arrive in this city, but other prevented any hostile demonstration.

OAKLAND TO RAISE \$50,000 TO ENTERTAIN U.S. FLEET

Enthusiastic Committeemen to Head Fund

As one of the leading cities of the Pacific Coast, Oakland will extend a welcome hand to the 20,000 men of the U. S. fleet. Just what form of entertainment, just how long this entertainment will last and even when such will be tendered has not as yet been fully decided.

An enthusiastic meeting of the executive committee was held in the Mayor's office last evening. Each man on the committee has stated that he is willing to devote both time and money so far as his means will allow, to make the form of entertainment one that will be in keeping with the importance of his city and the good will of its people.

When the matter of finance was brought before the meeting, the members readily responded. "I always give \$25 to the Fourth of July fund," said Mayor McT. "but this matter is of such import-

ance to all the West, and particularly to this city, that I will make my subscription to the fund ten times that amount, and I am a poor man too."

Financial Benefit.

He stated further that coming of the fleet and its entertainment by the people of Oakland will not only direct the eyes of many thousands coming to the Coast from Interior States to this city but the people thereof will derive both

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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

A \$5.00 rate to Cloverdale, account Circus Fair. Tickets good on the North-western Pacific boat leaving 7:40 a. m. on Saturday and for return until Monday, the 24th, inclusive. On this day there will be a morning train to Casadero and intermediate points, returning same day. Boat leaves 8:15 a. m.

UNKNOWN MAN JUMPS OVERBOARD FROM FERRYBOAT AND IS DROWNED

An unidentified man, supposed to be Jacob Levy, of San Francisco, became a victim of the sea today.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions to sell the pianos, furniture, carpets, trunks, jewelry, etc., of the estates of Dr. Maud Inman, P. Church, McLean, A. Davis, Wentworth and others. Sale: Friday, February 21, at 10:30 a. m., at 204 Telegraph avenue, near 13th St., Oakland. Open for inspection Thursday afternoon, comprising in part: 1 fine upright piano, 1 square piano, mahogany music cabinet, elegant mahogany parlor places, Brussels carpets, 8x12 rug, draperies, lace curtains, pictures, round quartered oak dining table, box dining chairs, sideboards, mahogany china closet, Haviland brass beds, folding beds, odd bureau, chiffoniers, bedding, steel range, gas stove, about 20 trunks and contents, jewelry, etc., etc. This is a choice lot of goods.

GEO. GRAY, Public Administrator. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers, 1007 Clay St.

The suicide occurred as the Newark ferry was passing Goat Island, and the ferryboat was immediately stopped and a life-boat lowered.

The rescuers grabbed the drowning man by the hair as he was sinking for the third time. Full speed ahead was made to the ferry-landing, and the body was rushed to the Receiving Hospital, but the man died on the train.

The man was 70 years of age, had

swart-white hair and moustache, wore a mixed brown suit, weighed 150 pounds, and was about 5 feet six inches in height.

There were no papers, keys, money, cards, or other means of identification on the suicide's person. A prescription made out in the name of Jacob Levy by Dr. J. B. Thompson on a blank of the Mount Zion hospital was the only indication found as to the man's identity.

The suicide was years of age and was apparently a working man.

REFREEE AUCTION

In re Shaw Brothers—bankrupts—Friday, February 21, 10:30 a. m. sharp at 407 Third—fourth corner Telegraph. Large stock of paints in gal—1/2, 1/4, etc. Colors in oil, glues, whitening, white lead, large lot of brushes, tools, supplies, etc. H. W. HAMMOND, Referee. MAYSEL & MAYSEL, Auctioneers.

His right leg was bandaged from the ankle to the knee. Every effort was made by means of artificial respiration and rolling to resuscitate the old man, but the work of the rescuers was in vain.

Oakland's temperature is 60 degrees in the shade today and shirt-waists are being worn.

ICY BLASTS, SNOW AND DEATH

Blizzards in East Still Continuing

And Out Here There Is Sunshine and Shirt Waists.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The blizzard which began here yesterday was still in progress today although the greatest fury of the storm had passed. A light snow fell during the early part of the day and was piled into deep drifts by a strong wind. Traffic on all surface and elevated street car lines, as well as on main roads, was greatly delayed though large squads of men worked all night in an endeavor to keep the tracks clear of snow. Through trains from the west arrived here today at the way from one to twelve hours late. Many additional accidents to pedestrians and one death were reported to the police.

One Man Dead.

An unidentified man, about 40 years of age, was struck by a freight train on the Chicago and Northwestern road, and died about an hour later at St. Ann's Sanitarium. Two men, who had been overcome by the storm, were found by the police almost completely buried by the snow.

An abandoned automobile was found in a snowdrift early today at Stewart avenue and Sixty-sixth street. The head lamps were missing and nothing was found by means of which the identity of the owner could be learned.

Service on the electric line running between Elgin and Chicago was almost at a standstill. Trains operating east of Wheaton on the same line, however, were only slightly delayed.

Trains Delayed

Michigan in the Heart of a Recent Blizzard

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 12.—The blizzard which swept down upon the lower portion of Michigan from the west yesterday afternoon still prevails with great severity and the snowfall ranges from eight inches in Detroit to eighteen inches in the southwest section of the State. Accompanied by a twenty to thirty miles an hour wind, the snow is drifting badly throughout the country districts and roads are badly blocked. Trains are late everywhere, although railroad officials generally express themselves as greatly pleased over the success in keeping the lines open.

The storm is most severe in that part of the State below a line drawn from Saginaw Bay across to Lake Michigan. Kalamazoo reports that all trains in the southwestern section of the State are from one-half hour to four hours late, and the Lake shore railway has entirely abandoned traf-

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60 IN SHADE IN OAKLAND

While freezing weather is causing great suffering in the East, Oakland is out in its shirtwaist. In the shade today the highest point recorded at Chabot observatory was 60 degrees, the same temperature reached last year. It ranges about 70 in the sun.

Indications are for rain in the near future, says Director Burck, of the Chabot observatory, as the barometer is falling.

OFFICIAL WEATHER REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—San Francisco and vicinity—Fair tonight and Thursday, light north wind, changing to southwest.

Santa Clara Valley—Fair tonight and Thursday with light frost in the morning, light north wind.

Sacramento Valley—Cloudy tonight and Thursday, light north wind.

San Joaquin Valley—Fair tonight and Thursday, light north wind.

YOUNG LADIES' INSTITUTE
PLAN BIG ANNUAL BALL



MISS BESSIE HEALY.

THE AD CLUB TALKS
HARBOR AT
LUNCHEON

Ex-Governor Pardee Says Oak-
land's Future Depends on
Waterfront.

The topics principally discussed at the Oakland Ad Club's weekly luncheon at Newman's Cigar Inn yesterday were on harbor development.

W. T. Vahlberg, chairman of the program committee, introduced Ex-Governor George C. Pardee, whose remarks in part regarding the waterfront, were as follows:

"The physical mud bank is not what is really keeping Oakland from going ahead as fast as she should as that can be easily removed, but inertia, opposition and apathy. In the concrete, the Southern Pacific and the Carpenters are the real enemies. Oakland has not developed in proportion to its position and advantages. One of the first things the former did was to take its business up to Port Costa, when Oakland was logically the point for it."

Harbor Development Easy.

Probably it was a good thing for us in the long run as a waterfront land is cheap and easy to dredge.

"Since 1852 Oakland was deprived of a right belonging to her and I have heard of it for 40 years. But Oakland is getting busy and will soon be what San Francisco is now."

San Francisco will always be the monetary center, but business and commerce will be on this side of the bay. Had there been no steamers with heavy draft, needing a deep water landing, but railroads instead to handle the immense freight imports and exports of this Western Coast, Oakland would be where San Francisco is now, and the latter would still probably be known simply as Yerba Buena with a few thousand inhabitants. Within the next ten years we will see Oakland in a position commercially that even the most sanguine expect.

Praise Work of Ad Club.

If the Oakland Ad Club acts behind the development of Oakland as a municipality, as you are in business, we will secure the goal and aim we have been trying to reach.

Other speakers strongly endorsed the sentiments of Mr. Pardee among them, Dr. F. T. Jackson, chairman of the waterfront committee of the Oakland City Council, President Leach of the Chamber of Commerce, Bernard P. Miller, George W. Arner, Richard J. Montgomery, Attorney James P. Montgomery and Neph H. Greaserfeld.

Bernard P. Miller proposed a toast to the Oakland Ad Club in having its luncheon keeping them alive and the great work and important issues they take up. Applauding the work they are doing for the city of Oakland and with hopes that the good work will continue.

Refused to Head
Reorganized Bank

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 19.—W. B. Ridgley, comptroller of the Commercial National Bank of Kansas City, has refused to head the reorganization of the bank. He has been asked to assume the direction of the reorganized bank. He has persistently said that he had no intention of leaving the office of comptroller of the currency.

We Hear of More Cures

Of troubles originating in impure blood, scrofula, loss of appetite, catarrh rheumatism, by Hood's Sarsaparilla, than by all other so-called remedies combined. Somehow those cured by Hood's seem to stay cured, and they gladly tell the good news to others.

Scrofula Cured.—"My wife had a scrofula sore on her leg for years. Many different medicines gave but little benefit. She turned to Hood's Sarsaparilla and the sore quickly healed. It is a good blood medicine."

J. N. Darr, Croby, Texas.

Afflicted 16 Years.—"Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me of scrofula, with which I have been troubled 16 years, and caused by weakness. My little daughter had a scrofula swelling on her neck and Hood's Sarsaparilla also cured her."

Miss Nora Hunter, Hager, Tennessee.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold everywhere. In the usual liquid, or in tablet form called Sarsaparilla Tablets. 100 Doses One Dollar. Prepared only by C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

Y. M. I. TO JOIN IN
SOCIAL FUNCTION

Miss Bessie Healy is Aiding Com-
mittee to Make Affair
a Success.

Extensive plans are being made by the Young Ladies Institute for their nineteenth annual ball to be given February 21 in Central Hall. Much interest is being manifested in the affair. It promises to be one of the most successful given this season.

The Institute is one of the strongest organizations in Alameda county, founded upon high morals and most select. Among the patrons of the ball will be members of the Young Men's Institute, Joseph B. Callaghan, president of the Y. M. I. and Miss Mary Conannon of Berkeley, formerly of Livermore will lead the grand march.

The committee of arrangement consists of Miss Pearl Antolin, chairman, Miss Emma Manning, Miss Evelyn P. Long, Miss Loretta G. Towne, Miss Mary Rhodes, Miss Oretta McQuaid, Miss Mary Tracy, Miss Elizabeth McPeak, Miss Kate Lydon, Miss Stella Milovich, Miss Mary Healy, Miss Nora Lydon, Mrs. Mary Kelly, Miss Casey and Miss Markovitz.

ANNUAL MEETING
OF ROCHDALE CO.

Delegates From All Portions of
State Gather Here; Last
Session Tomorrow.

The ninth annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Co-operative Union and Rochdale Co-operative Company convened this morning in Hamilton Hall on Thirteenth street. President D. J. Fowler of Los Angeles acted as chairman. The officers present were: D. J. Fowler, Oakland president; W. J. McClelland, Halesburg vice-president; John Strong Santa Rosa treasurer; F. A. Bennett, Del Norte; W. A. Higgins, Tulare; E. A. Davis, Santa Cruz; L. B. Utrey, King City; E. F. Cunningham, Le Grand; W. J. P. Cunniff, Lodi.

Speeches were made by President D. J. Fowler, L. B. Utrey, W. P. Fassett, F. C. Brady, B. H. Bagley, J. M. Moore. The following committee was appointed to act on the resolution committee: J. M. Twombly, Tulare chairman; W. H. Reynolds, Corning; E. M. Bishop, Fresno; F. R. Robinson, Napa; A. R. Gallows, Halesburg.

Memorial Committee

The memorial committee consists of E. A. Shain, Green Major; J. G. Cooper, Among the delegates present were: T. P. Robinson, Napa; C. E. Stocker, Mill Valley; George Maxwell, Sausalito; W. H. Reynolds, W. H. Giffen, J. R. Baxter, R. C. Carr, T. W. Hawkins, J. W. Cooper, S. J. McClellan, T. W. Fraser, E. Douglas, P. Nielsen, R. Myers, B. Anna W. Shair, Mrs. B. Myers, N. J. R. Lowe, A. Bennett, J. Twombly, W. P. Cunniff, J. Strong.

The convention will hold its last session tomorrow night when addresses will be delivered on "National Co-operations" by E. M. Tonley and J. H. Bearup.

HOPPER COMING IN
NEW "HAPPYLAND."

De Wolf Hopper is announced to appear at the Macdonough next Sunday matinee and night and Monday night in Happyland with music by the Reginald DeKoven and book by the late Frederic Ranken. Hopper plays the "King of Ellysia" or "Happyland" afflicted to the extreme of boredom by the cloying sweetness of the happiness of his subjects. With Hopper is Miss Marguerite Clark.

"Happyland" rejoices in the artistic production that the Messrs. Shubert are known for. Its scenery, costumes and effects have never been exceeded for beauty or grandeur.

CLERK ROBBED OF \$1
BY DAYLIGHT THUGS

(Special to the Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—W. C. Rees, a clerk, living at the Denver House, reports that he was the victim of a bold daylight robbery yesterday on Third street between Market and Mission, the thugs getting \$31 in cash. Rees told the police today that he was first jostled by the two men while looking in the window of a store on Third street, and that they then held him fast and robbed him of his money, making their escape by darting quickly down an alley.

WEALTHY WOMAN
GOES TO JAIL

Former Wife of Horse Owner
Sentenced for Indulgence
in Intoxicants.

Mary Harris formerly the wife of a horse owner and herself the owner of considerable property in Emeryville who has gone from bad to worse through indulgence in alcoholic liquors was sentenced to a term of three days in the city prison this morning by Judge Smith on a charge of drunkenness. The woman presented a pitiful appearance in court. Last night she had a hot fight with a man named Tim Trainor with the result that her clothes were almost torn from her back and her face showed evidences of the struggle.

According to the woman she went to 721 Magnolia street last night while under the influence of liquor, to get her trunk she having intended to move. Trainor was there and after an argument the woman was roughly handled. She refused to swear to a complaint for Trainor's arrest.

Trainor was the man called as a witness to give character testimony on behalf of Harris. Kelly, who was recently caught in the act of burglary, Judge Smith said he would not believe Trainor under oath, and he put the case over in order that another justice could take the testimony. Kelly was held for trial to the Superior court.

NEW MEXICO TO
INSTRUCT FOR TAFT

ALBUQUERQUE, Feb. 19.—The New Mexican Republican Territorial Committee in session here yesterday adopted by a unanimous vote, a strong resolution endorsing the candidacy of William H. Taft for the Republican Presidential nomination and pledging the committee and the Republican organization to do all in their power to further this candidacy. This is equivalent to a delegation instructed for Taft from New Mexico to the National Convention. The Republican Territorial Convention will be held at Silver City March 12.

It is hard to feel exactly the same toward a friend and neighbor who is being chummy with your enemy.

CABLE NEWS OF THE WORLD

AMERICAN ORDERED
FROM PRUSSIA

ODESSA, Feb. 19.—Dr. Dubouché, the American citizen who was arrested recently in this city on the charge of being connected with the revolutionary organization was released today but was ordered to leave Russia within ten days. He probably will go to his wife in Switzerland. Mrs. Dubouché is a Russian woman of noble birth. It has been declared that she spent a large part of her fortune in aiding the Russian revolutionary movement.

British China

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Peking, Feb. 19.—The final signing of the Anglo-Chinese treaty concerning Tibetan trade has been delayed by differences which have arisen over several minor points. The British legation here has informed China that the British troops that have been stationed in the Chumbi Valley in Tibet are being withdrawn and this movement to evacuate Tibet before the signing of the treaty is interpreted as an act of good will the purpose of which is to facilitate the agreement. The Dalai Lama, the ruler of Tibet, who fled from Lhasa when the British force under Colonel Younghusband entered that city in 1904 is expected soon at Wu Tai, in Shansi province.

May Grab John D's

BERLIN, Feb. 19.—The Imperial treasury department is considering the possibility of government petroleum monopoly. No decision has yet been reached but experts continued to study plans for the taking over of the business in Germany of the Standard Oil Company as well as that of this company's Russian and Roumanian holdings.

Baron Von Zedlitz, leader of the free conservatives in the Russian Diet who has made a special study of the subject says the empire would have to make an initial outlay of \$18,000,000 for oil plants tanks and the necessary tankers and cars and that yearly profits of from \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000 is to be expected. The Baron is of the opinion that the government can deal successfully with the probable refusal of the Standard Oil Company to supply crude petroleum at a reasonable rate, and he thinks the requirements of the government.

A House Divided
Against Itself

Civil War in the Stomach Spells Ruin

Victory Belongs to You, if You Will
Costs Nothing to Try

The greatest foe to the progress of nations has been in eternal strife, civil war. Equally so is the greatest enemy of health, a divided system of the body. This is just what occurs in dyspepsia. War is declared between the stomach and the rest of the members of the body—illness results, inability to digest or assimilate food, nervousness, indigestion to work and in a word, all the attendant evils of imperfect digestion. What you need is an ally. An ally who will not only help but will absolutely insure you the victory. In other words let Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets fight your battles for you, and by doing the work of your stomach give it a complete rest, and allow it to re-enter the lists reinforced, refreshed, and rejuvenated.

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OPENS WITH BIG CROWD



MRS. CHAS. A. JACKSON.

SICK AND NEEDY TO
BENEFIT BY
EVENT

Chapter of St. John's Episcopal
Church Gathering Fund to
Help Unfortunate.

Under the auspices of the Sick and Needy Chapter of the Ladies Guild of St. John's Episcopal Church the bazaar for the benefit of the chapter opened this afternoon in the Sunday school room of the church. It will be in session three days. The chapter is confident that the bazaar will greatly swell the fund for the sick and needy.

Mrs. S. D. Oliver is chairman of the Sick and Needy Chapter. Mrs. August Haneberg is secretary of the chapter. Mrs. C. S. Jackson is in charge of the candy booth assisted by Miss Ruth Oliver. Mrs. August Haneberg is in charge of the Hawaiian curio booth which consists of calabashes of beautiful polished native woods, ancient lamps of lava, mats baskets hats dolls in native dancing costumes chains of beads shells, exquisite feather leis, tapa cloths, poi pounders, royal carving set bearing the coat of arms of King Kalkaua, and many articles made from the coconut and coconut fibre.

Mrs. F. B. Oliver, in the Japanese booth assisted by Mrs. Bigelow and Miss Ella Daly disposes of kimonos and pretty and unusual Japanese decorations.

Mrs. John Roland and Mrs. L. A. Thompson sell burnt-work, Mrs. M. Gonzalez will dispose of aprons, Mrs. Breck presides over the fancy work booth, and Miss Margaret Jackson has a table of pretty novelties.

Mrs. Morris will serve refreshments in the tea room, assisted by a coterie of young ladies.



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cigarettes as good as

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ARTIFICIAL ISLAND FORT

War Department Undertakes
Immense Defense for
Manila.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—As part of the joint program for the fortification of Manila bay the war department has made application to congress for an appropriation of \$3,000,000 with which to build an artificial island upon which the guns will be mounted for the defense of Cavite naval station.

This appropriation comes from the action of the joint army and navy boards. As a result of the work of this board Olongapo has been abandoned. It having been demonstrated that it would take not less than 100,000 men to defend the site on the land side.

Manila proper has been selected for the location of the station and Cavite the old Spanish station will probably be the key to the defense of Manila. For the proper defense of Cavite however additional fortifications are necessary.

Easy entrance to the bay by Admiral Dewey's fleet having demonstrated that Corregidor could be passed and the city

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE?

From October to May Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. LAXATIVE. BROMO QUININE removes cause. D. W. Groce on box 28c

Bryan Continues
His Lecture Tour

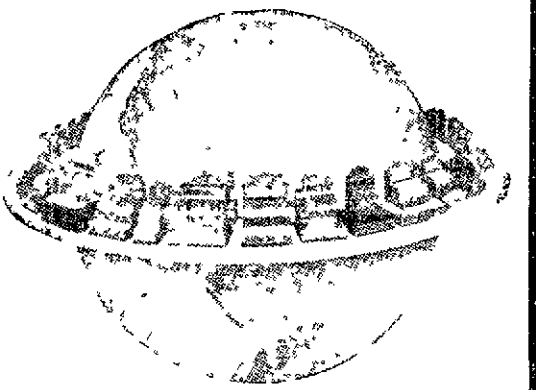
COLUMBUS, Feb. 19.—William J. Bryan left Columbus today for Hamilton O. where he will make an address in the evening. Many friends have him good bye. Bryan expressed himself as being very much pleased with his reception at Columbus.

Senator Latimer
Gaining Strength

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Senator Latimer of South Carolina, who is ill here with pneumonia, again a serious case, but was reported somewhat better today.

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BY OVER
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STORE
KEEPERS
ALL'ROUND
THE WORLD
Over 500 Styles
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DEFENSE IN THE SODERBERG TRIAL BEGINS

Witness Tells of Love of Accused for Mother Whom He Is Charged With Killing.

The defense of Eriand H. Soderberg on the charge of murdering his mother, Sigrid Martha Soderberg, was begun today in Judge Melvin's court with the testimony of Mox H. Kahn, of Alameda, bookkeeper of the California Steel and Ballast Company, who was placed on the stand by Attorney John J. Allan to tell of incidents tending to show insanity on the part of the accused man.

Kahn testified that Soderberg had often spoken to him of his mother, and always in terms of affection. He had saved his money that he might bring her from Sweden to California and have a home here. When Soderberg had money enough he secured the services of Kahn to negotiate the exchange at a San Francisco bank, and when Mrs. Soderberg was slow in coming to this country her son was much worried, Kahn said. The witness also testified that Soderberg was a faithful, steady workman. Soderberg was employed as a stevedore by the company, which liked his work so well that he was made foreman.

The theory of the defense is that Soderberg must have been crazy to kill his mother in the brutal fashion which he employed, as he had always shown her much love and affection. This theory will be strengthened by depositions from his relatives in Sweden to the effect that his father was confined in an asylum.

REFUSES RUEF

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(Francis J. Heney, William J. Langdon, W. J. Burns, Rudolph Spreckels, H. Dunne and William F. Lewis, prominent immunity to this defendant from the charges set forth in indictment 823 and that said indictment was brought as the result of an agreement between the affiant and said parties named and other matters and things appeal to the issue.)

Continues Argument.
The application goes on to say that an effort had been made to get Judge Dunne to make an affidavit, but that he had refused. When the matter of the affidavit had been disposed of, Attorney Murphy began his argument and quoted from numerous authorities in support of the three principal grounds on which the defense hopes to save Ruef.

The grounds were that there was a defect in the copy of the indictment handed him, that he was not properly arraigned and that he was relying on the immunity contract and was influenced by the promises of the prosecution.

Waived Privileges.
Attorney Murphy went on to say that Ruef had not discovered the mistake in his copy of the indictment until February 1. He stated that Ruef's attorneys all along had waived certain privileges because of their belief in the validity of the immunity contract.

"This contract has enough apparent validity," said Murphy, "to influence most intelligent people to believe in it. Mr. Heney has been going up and down this coast with immunity contracts bulging in his pockets and passing them out with a lavish hand, and yet the district attorney comes into court and says that they have no right to grant immunity. They claim that the power is not vested in the governor of the State, and that in granting it they were more than assuming the governor's function. I say to your honor that that was brought to their attention months ago when fifteen or sixteen men were allowed to walk the streets free from punishment with immunity contracts in their pockets. They denied that they had not the power then."

"Gallagher came to the witness stand in this court with his pockets full of money and with his safe deposit boxes crammed with funds illegally gained, and yet no indictment had been found against him."

O'Gara Speaks.
With a few more words Murphy closed his argument and Assistant District Attorney O'Gara immediately addressed the court.

"I have just a few words to state, your honor. Reference has been made to me as the representative of several different people. Will say that I represent the people of the State of California."

"You don't represent Mr. Spreckels then," interposed Murphy.
"So far as Mr. Heney is right," went on Mr. O'Gara, "I may represent him. I represent the district attorney's office. So far as the immunity contract is concerned I know nothing until long months after. I believe I lost my temper months ago. I protest against stunts which have been put upon me by the attorney for the defense."

"To what do you refer?" asked Murphy.
"To the statement," said O'Gara, "you regretted my benighted understanding might not follow your argument of the case."

Was It a Joke?
O'Gara went on to say that while it might have been meant in fun it was often hard to say just what way such statements should be taken. He said that Murphy had acted as a good lawyer in his argument in the case and said that the District Attorney did not offer to defend his departure from the immunity contract because the contract was not valid, but rather because the agreement was not adhered to by Ruef.

When O'Gara had resumed his seat, Murphy arose, but Judge Lawlor, thinking that he was about to reply heatedly to the statement of the assistant district attorney, dissuaded him, but at length allowed him to proceed.

"I desire to say," began Murphy, "that I did not intend to say anything to be meant as a slur or an insult to Mr. O'Gara. I have the highest regard for him. It does seem to me that the position I take in this case has been made clear. I did not refer to the consent of your honor being obtained before the immunity contract had been entered into as had been stated in the newspaper. They may not have had the midnight meeting referred to in the affidavit. But the defendant believed that you had had it and relied upon it. Two Jewish clergymen of the defendant's own religion, stated in

FABIOLA CARD TOURNAMENT WILL BRING SOCIETY OUT

MISS ANITA THOMSON.



MRS. HARRY H. SMITH.

CHARITY AFFAIR'S SUCCESS ASSURED

Proceeds of 500 Tables Tonight Will go to Sunshine Pavilion.

The Fabiola card tournament takes place this evening at the Ebell clubhouse and already several hundred dollars have been secured toward the success of the event. The proceeds will be devoted to the sunshine pavilion for children in the hospital which is near completion.

Mrs. Mark Requa, who has taken earnest charge of the affair, has worked incessantly with a corps of assistants chosen among the prominent society maids and matrons of the city.

The game will begin promptly at 8:30 and guests are requested to be in their seats promptly at 8:15 o'clock. Seats will also be provided for those who do not play but who attend to witness the games.

Guests Remain Seated.
It is requested that the guests remain

TO BAR BOYS FROM BILLIARD HALLS IN BERKELEY

Age Limit Fixed at 21 Years in Ordinance Passed to Print.

BERKELEY, Feb. 18.—By the terms of an ordinance passed to print last night, boys under 21 years of age are forbidden to frequent billiard rooms, bowling alleys or other like resorts. The law was drafted at the request of the chief of police, who found that the present age limit of 16 years hampered the police in their efforts to round up young truants and idlers, owing to the difficulty in ascertaining the exact age of the suspect.

The passage of the ordinance developed some spirited opposition. Charles Craig, on behalf of the cigar dealers and billiard halls, declared that the ordinance would bankrupt the owners. Craig wanted the age limit fixed at 18 years, and Trustee Olsen favored the idea.

Plays Gambling.
Trustee Conner supported the ordinance. He said there were some notorious gambling halls in Berkeley, despite the protests of the cigar stores.

"I can take this board this night," said Conner, "to half a dozen places within a few blocks of this hall where card gamblers are running, where pools are sold on horse races and where the environment is as bad as the most depraved young man could wish. It is all right for us to protect the cigar men, but the students at the university must be protected."

Craig asked if gambling was prevalent why it was that the police did not stop it, as provided for by State laws.

Chief of Police Vollmer urged the passage of the ordinance, saying that it was difficult to obtain evidence as provided for by statute.

When Murphy had resumed his seat at the court stated that tomorrow morning

MUSICAL COMEDY MAKES HIT AT MACDONOUGH

"The Pride of New York" Is Full of Laughable Scenes.

Judging from the applause and numerous recalls of the players last evening at the Macdonough theater, Young's Musical Comedy Company may look for a successful engagement in Oakland, where it will remain until Saturday night. The opening production was a musical skit entitled "The Pride of New York."

The story of the play relates to a Hebrew who agrees to be "angel" to a burlesque show to the tune of \$5000, and when the troupe fails to make good he wants his money back. In the action of the play are interpolated some fifteen musical numbers, which are well rendered. The principals of the company were all good. Maude K. Williams, the prima donna, has a voice. One of the best pieces of character work seen here in some time was that of Charles Dudley as the stranded Shakespearean actor. Dudley with a little more training will no doubt be heard from later. Frank Harcourt kept the audience in a continual uproar while on the stage as the Hebrew. J. Francis Abbott is the tenor of the company. The "Pride of New York" will be repeated again this evening. Thursday and Friday "The Girl From France" will be the attraction, while Saturday matinee and night "Puck, Judge and the Lady" will be the bill.

TO PRESERVE MINCEMEAT.
Put the mincemeat in a stone jar and pour over the top a quantity of melted paraffine. It will keep for many weeks and this is also a good method of keeping it thoroughly free from dust. Of course brandy assists in preserving mincemeat, just the same as snappy cider, but many persons never use either, always using fruit juices, so some preservative must be used or it will spoil.

At 10 o'clock he would take up and deal separately with each proffer of testimony. He stated that all of the affidavits which could be obtained by the defense should be offered first and the case closed and that then he would entertain an application for the securing of further affidavits. Thus the court disposed of the application which had been made by Murphy at the opening of the session.

TRYING TO STOP MURDERS IN CHICAGO

Ordinance Designed to Prevent Carrying of Deadly Weapons With Strong Feature.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Crime will be decreased considerably in Chicago, it is believed, by the action taken yesterday by the Council Committee on Judiciary. The ordinance was designed to put an end to the carrying of deadly weapons.

One of the ordinances obligates the city custodian every six months to take all weapons that come into his possession and dump them into the lake at least five miles from shore.

Another ordinance requires dealers in weapons to pay a license fee of \$5 a year and the third forbids anybody to carry a weapon unless he is a sheriff, constable, policeman or coroner. Even persons with collections of weapons, firearms and swords or daggers, antique or modern, must take out a license under these new ordinances.

The ordinance places the ban on these weapons: Pistols, bowie knives, metal knuckles, revolvers, dirks, derringers and slung shots.

There is no provision against rifles, shotguns or capons.

The ordinances make it unlawful to purchase, or own or borrow any of these weapons without a license, but even with a license they may not be carried.

"Any ordinance which would tend to decrease crime should meet with favorable consideration," said Chief of Police Wilson today in discussing the above. "and it would appear to me that the ordinance of the Chicago officials would have a tendency to decrease criminal acts. I am of the opinion that no such stringent rules are necessary in this city, but I favor ordinances designed to put an end to the indiscriminate carrying of deadly weapons. The laws of this city are at this time sufficient."

WOMAN DIRECTOR TO LEAD AN ORCHESTRA



MISS SIDNEY MILLER.

Miss Sidney Miller in Charge of Music of "El Janitoro."

"El Janitoro," a travesty on grand opera, composed by Frank Seely, will be produced Friday evening, February 21, in Cadet Armory Hall, on Market street. The performance will be given for the benefit of the Congressional Cadet Corps.

One affair promises to be a success and is directed by E. Seely and Alvin Powell. Mr. Hildebrandt has charge of the production.

Miss Sidney Miller will direct the orchestra.

The leading roles will be sung by Miss Zoe Blodgett, L. Barton and Alvin Powell. Miss Mattie Allen, Miss Bonnie Overall, Miss Vina Tenyson, Miss Millicent Dean, Miss Mae Marchant.

The scene of the opera is laid in an apartment house of the present day. The words of the opera were written by George Ade and the music by Frank Seely.

GLASS CASE IS AGAIN PUT OVER TO MARCH 1
(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—On motion of T. C. Coogan, representing Louis Glass, indicted by the grand jury in connection with the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph bribery, was continued until March 1, in Judge Lawlor's court this morning.

Coogan stated that while Mr. Glass was much better, he was not yet well enough to come to the court room, but that he hoped he would be well at the next calling of the case.

JAP ROBS WOMAN BUT GETS BEATING
Julia Saunders, a colored woman living at 403 Seventh street, had her hand to hand battle last night with a Japanese who stole her purse from her hand as she was standing in the doorway of her home. The purse contained \$10. When the Japanese grabbed the purse, Julia Saunders grappled with the man, and although she failed to get her money back, she succeeded in tearing the coat from the back of the Japanese, and the garment is now in the hands of the police.

HAS THROAT CUT TO SAVE HER LIFE

Society Woman Who Raised \$57,000 for Charity Nearly Dies in Effort.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman, whose nervous system collapsed after she had netted \$57,000 for charity by working night and day managing the famous fete of "The Streets of Paris," was reported to be in "splendid condition" today at the Augustana Hospital, following a surgical operation, which was performed as a last resort.

The operation involved cutting Mrs. Coleman's throat. Mrs. Coleman suffered from what is known as "Graves' disease," one of the so-called mysteries of the medical profession. Its symptoms are protruding eyes, tremor, an extraordinarily rapid pulse and an enlargement of the thyroid gland. The operation to cure the ailment is the removal of the greater part of the thyroid gland and is extremely dangerous.

NEW FIRE ALARM BOXES AT HAND

Twelve of the Succession Type Ready for Installation in Oakland.

Twelve new fire alarm boxes have arrived in Oakland from the Gamewell Company of Boston. The boxes are of the latest type and known as the "succession box." If an alarm should be turned in from one section of the city and a fire should start in another, the succession boxes, if pulled two at the same time, both would keep running until the alarms had been registered from both sections of the city.

Those boxes will be placed in the center of Oakland throughout the business district, and the older type of boxes will be removed, thus giving the more valuable property the additional protection of the succession movement. The present style of self-starting door handles now in use on Broadway and Washington street will be changed to a keyless door that opens with a handle similar to those now in use. The turning of this handle, however, will not ring in an alarm as heretofore. After the door is opened the hook must be pulled down, the same as in the key type of box. This change was found necessary owing to the number of false alarms turned in by those who did not understand the mechanism.

The superintendent of the fire alarm and police telegraph station wants the public, especially those in the neighborhood of Fourteenth, Eleventh, Fifth, Washington, Ninth and Broadway that after the twenty-fourth of this month the turning of the handles on the fire alarm boxes will only open the door and not turn in the alarm as heretofore.

BAD CHECK PASSER GETS ONLY 60 CTS. FROM VICTIM

Caution of Tailor Saves Him Loss Hundred Times as Great.

A. T. Karmann, a tailor of 1621 Seventh street, reported to the police this morning that yesterday a man gave the name of Thomas Karns, ordered a suit worth \$40 and gave in payment for the same a check on the Oakland Bank for \$60. Karmann gave Karns sixty cents change and then sent the bank to see if the check was good. He found that it was fictitious, and upon his return to the store Karns was gone.

It is presumed he is the man who has passed a number of fictitious checks in this city and for whom the police have been looking for weeks. Karmann refused to give Karns more than the sixty cents until he learned whether the check was genuine, with the result that his loss is small.

TRAINS DELAYED

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On its branches. Interurban lines in southwestern Michigan are having a desperate fight to get cars through.

SNOW DRIFTING.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 18.—A fall of twenty degrees in temperature was registered over Kansas and Western Missouri during the past twenty-four hours. A brisk north wind during the night caused the three inches of snow that had fallen to drift, but trains are resuming their schedules.

IS SPORTS FURY.
MILWAUKEE, Feb. 12.—The blizzard, which started in this section yesterday continued with but slightly abated fierceness today. About a foot of snow has fallen in Milwaukee and vicinity.

HEAVY WINDS.
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—The temperature dropped down to 23 degrees above zero today and a snowstorm prevails, being driven by a hard northwest wind blowing twenty-six miles an hour.

VALENTINE PARTY FOR YOUNGER ELMHURST

A large number of the younger set of Elmhurst met to celebrate Valentine's night at the home of the Misses Nicolaens on Sunnyside street on Friday evening, February 15. The evening was spent in playing various games and a number of vocal and instrumental solos were rendered by some of the young people. Later on light refreshments were served, after which the Valentines were distributed, which caused much amusement and laughter. The following is a list of the guests: Mrs. William Gorr, Misses Margaret Sutherland, Laura Finley, Maude Gerrard, Lella Whiting, Clara Arnold, Nicolaens, Myrtle Park, Park, Angela Nicolaens and Violet Park; Messrs William Gorr, Robert Abernethy, Roy Guthrie, Edward Nicolaens, David Wilson, Lawrence Bradley, Barton Evelyn, Dr. H. H. Evelyn, Dr. W. E. Darnall, Otto Hausor and Edward Hausor.

The more bright and lovable you make yourself, the happier you will be, later life, whether married or single. If you know any old maids just cultivate their acquaintance and see if the whole thing is not bright and cheerful.

CATHOLIC LADIES' AID SOCIETY PLANS TEA



MRS. C. H. O'CONNOR.

Martha Washington Affair for Benefit of Treasury to Help Poor.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society No. 27 has invited their friends and the general public to assist at a Martha Washington affair to be given Saturday afternoon from 2 until 6 o'clock at 1519 Twenty-fourth avenue. A musical program is promised and the occasion will be pleasant for those who attend.

The recent financial distress has been a heavy drain in the relief fund of this organization and the affair next Saturday is planned to replenish the treasury. A large number of guests who are interested in the cause of charity are expected to attend. Those who will receive the guests are: Mrs. Harold Knapp, Mrs. Frank Garcia, John Ranton, Mrs. Charles Harris and Mrs. C. H. O'Connor.

OAKLAND TO RAISE

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commercial and financial benefit therefrom.

The members of the executive committee are Ex-Governor Pardee, Mayor Frank K. Mott, Colonel Theo. Glen, Charles J. Heeseman, George W. Reed, Warren English, Edwin Stearns, Frank W. Bilger and Dr. C. L. Tiedel. Chairman Pardee and Mayor Mott were appointed a committee to call upon the San Francisco committee and ascertain the form of their entertainment, so far as outlined, that the Oakland committee may work in conjunction and not conflict with the dates and form of entertainment as arranged by the committee across the bay.

It was voted by the committee to engage for three months, two rooms in the Bacon block and same will be taken possession of within a few days. Edwin Meese was elected secretary of this committee and was empowered by vote to engage a stenographer or assistant secretary.

To Invite Evans.
The committee instructed the chairman and Mayor Mott to frame up and send a telegram to Admiral Evans, inviting the Admiral, the officers and crews of the fleet to be the guests of the City of Oakland at such time as will prove acceptable to the officers of the fleet. It was figured that to entertain this great influx of visitors to Oakland would, at a low estimate, require \$50,000.

The committee appointed by Mayor Mott comprises many of the most prominent citizens and the chairman of each sub-committee constitute the executive committee. Few people realize the great amount of work necessary to the reception and entertainment of such a vast assemblage and it will not be the fault of the committee if Oakland does not shine forth as an entertainer in a manner commensurate with her importance as a coast city.

"Now, my children, what is an absolute necessity for family prayers?"
Boy—"A family."—Harpers' Weekly.

THIEVES BUSY IN ALL QUARTERS

Five Victims of Criminals of all Kinds Suffer Losses of Property.

Mrs. H. Codchland of 822 Twenty-second street reported the theft of \$5 in gold from her home last night.

Arthur Jackson, a roomer at the Golden Eagle House, Sixteenth street and San Pablo avenue, reports the theft of a diamond ring valued at \$250.

G. Bemis of 312 Broadway, reports the theft of a double-seated wagon valued at \$75.

Mrs. V. E. Lemon of 175 Eighth street, reports the theft of two diamond rings and a gold watch.

William Delaney of 56 Eddy street, San Francisco, reports the loss of theft of \$55 in gold in this city yesterday afternoon.

STUFFED FIGS.
"An excellent dinner sweet. Cut an opening in the side of fresh figs, take out the inside with a spoon, to this add finely chopped salt almonds or peanuts. Mix thoroughly and moisten with a little brandy; put this mixture into the fig shells, press the sides of the opening together and roll in powdered sugar."

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—A young man to do light work in exchange for tuition. Heald's College, San Pablo ave. and 16th street.

WANTED—Sunny room and board; small, plain family; for lady; reasonable. Phone and address Box 502, Tribune.

WANTED—Brown water spaniel bitch, tan points and tan legs. Return to Hutchison, 14th and Franklin, Oakland. Reward.

DIED.
HUSH—In Fruitvale, California, February 18, 1908, Valentine Goldsmith Hush, native of Ohio, aged 65 years, 1 month, 11 days.

WANTED—Girl to do cooking and general housework in family of six. Phone Oakland 2762.

WOULD like a girl as companion; will pay \$3 a week. 1012 Jefferson. COMPETITION. Address Tribune.

GOOD Japanese girl wishes a position as cook and housework. Address 765 Clay st. Phone 7125.

THOROUGHLY BRED Rodeo Andalusian Cockerels for sale. \$2.50 each. 732 East 32d st., East Oakland.

BURCHARD APARTMENTS—Electric lights; steam heat; bath in each suite; 1 block to Key Route Inn, 1569 1/2 Bwy.

FOR RENT—2 sunny furnished bachelors' sleeping rooms. \$15. 1803 Telegraph ave. above corner grocery.

I WANT to buy a six-room cottage or house; good size lot, east of San Pablo, between three and five thousand dollars. Box 524, Tribune.

PARTNER wanted who is willing to invest \$500 in property. Address Box 3412, Tribune.

GROCERY, bakery, candy store, 2 living rooms; reasonable. House can't attend to it. 1212 Union, Oakland.

A ROOMING house for sale or rent; good location. Owner has other business. Rent cheap. 1550 1/2 7th st., Oakland.

LADY as housekeeper and cook. 6928 San Pablo avenue.

WANTED—Lady to assist in vaudeville act, and eighteen chorus girls. Write Box 3414, Tribune.

TWO large sunny furnished rooms for rent. Address 1202 14th st.

NEWLY furnished housekeeping and single rooms in private family; every convenience. 484 Hawthorn, off Telegraph.

FOR SALE—Cheap—Polkman's overcoat. Want new; just the thing for chauffeurs. Box 537, Tribune.

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WANT to buy a return ticket to Chicago, Kansas City, Dallas or other points. Interview Tribune Box 5268.

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35 VENIREMEN ARE EXAMINED; ONLY 3 ACCEPTED

Slow Progress in Alameda Gambling Case—One Says Sleuth Was Drunk.

Results of effort to secure a jury yesterday in Alameda to try George Hayes, accused of playing in a poker game, were accepted, 3. Those accepted: F. W. Morrison, G. Zeh, A. P. Snow.

One venireman, George Hickman, a grocer, declared that he would not give any credit to the jury's private detective, because he had heard that the detective was drunk when gathering evidence. He said he did not believe the detective would be a fit man to testify against Alameda citizens.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 19.—Out of thirty-five veniremen examined yesterday as to their qualifications to act as jurors in the case against George Hayes, accused by E. J. Holt of the Civic League with having played percentage draw-poker, but three were accepted, and a call was issued for a new venire, returnable Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Great difficulty is being experienced in getting the jury. One of the veniremen when questioned declared that he would never convict any man on the testimony of a private detective. Other veniremen declared that they would not believe the testimony of men who were paid money to get evidence. They declared that such men might be ever zealous and to get the money might lighten the color of conditions as they found them.

Would Discredit.

It was during the examination of George Hickman, the Webster street grocer, that the sensation was sprung. Hickman was asked by Assistant District Attorney Hynes if he had any feeling against a man who was hired to get evidence. Hickman retorted that he had no objection against such a man, but that he heard the detective had been drunk on several occasions and did not believe that he would be a fit man to testify against citizens of the city. Hynes intimated that the detective might have feigned drunkenness to better secure evidence. Hickman was excused for bias after a lengthy examination.

Over fifteen of the veniremen were dismissed because they were not on the assessment roll. The three jurors secured yesterday are F. W. Morrison, G. Zeh and A. P. Snow.

Another Venire.

At 5 o'clock court adjourned and Justice Robert Edgar issued a call for a new venire of twenty. It is not believed that this will be enough to fill the jury box and the case may go into next week.

Rev. P. C. Macfarlane was the only member of the Civic League present in court yesterday afternoon. He took a lively interest in the selecting of jurors and often consulted with Hynes. Late in the afternoon District Attorney E. J. Brown took charge of the prosecution.

TRUSTEES CONSIDER PLAN FOR SEPARATE JAP BATHS

Sexes Bathe Together in Berkeley, Too, Attorney Hynes Says.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—Assistant District Attorney Hynes has been making an investigation of the bathing habits of the Japanese population of Berkeley in connection with Chief of Police Vollmer and Assistant District Attorney Phil M. Carey and he believes that there is room for improvement. Hynes told the trustees last night that in two places in Berkeley he found that Japanese men and women use the same tanks to wash in and dress in the presence of each other in the same dressing room.

"While I am not hypocritical and commend the cleanly habits of the yellow brother, I think he should be taught that promiscuous intermingling of the sexes in bathing tanks and quarters is not conducive to the best sanitary results," said Hynes.

"Moreover, the one water is used by all bathers and there is no sewer connected for emptying the tank."

Hynes declared that one of the Japanese bath houses was situated in the fashionable section of Berkeley way, near Oxford street. There was another one on Dwight way near Shattuck avenue. Hynes presented an ordinance, similar to the one introduced by him before the Alameda trustees Monday night, providing for separation of the sexes, for new water for every bath and for other sanitary regulations. He told the trustees that every municipality in the country would be asked to adopt this law. The matter was taken under consideration.

DANES DON'T WANT GREATER SAN FRANCISCO

The proposition of a Greater San Francisco was voted down by the Danish-American League at its monthly meeting last Saturday night. A Greater Oakland will be discussed next month.

The organization was formed to keep abreast with all political questions. It has 350 members, with prospects of a similar association in Hayward shortly. H. Hermandsen, C. Stockholm and O. C. Hermandsen are the leading spirits of the body.

JUDGE WASTE SPEAKS AT EXCHANGE LUNCHEON

The regular weekly lunch of the merchant exchange today was largely attended. It was addressed by Judge W. H. Waste on "The Value of Organization" and Bank Commissioner Lynch on "The Financial Situation." The Wednesday noon luncheon of the merchant exchange is becoming one of the features of the mercantile life of the city of Oakland.

SORORITY TO INITIATE Alpha Sigmas to Also Hold Dance



MISS ETHEL PLUMMER (TO LEFT) AND MISS BESS YATES, MEMBERS OF THE ALPHA SIGMA SORORITY OF ALAMEDA HIGH SCHOOL.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 19.—The members of the Alpha Sigma Sorority of the High School are to hold an initiation Friday night, which will be followed by a dance at the George Emmons home in Union street. The hostesses for the affair will be Miss Marjorie and Miss Gladys Emmons.

On the committee making arrangements for the initiation and dance are Miss Ethel Plummer, Miss Bess Yates, Miss Ruth Holt and Miss Jane Becker. The girls will put the candidates for honors through the different degrees at the homes of several of the members. Those to be initiated are Miss Helen Johnson, Miss Harriet Figg, Miss Meade Bissell and Miss Hazel Naylor.

LONG WILL TELL HOW TO FIGHT THE PLAGUE

Public Meeting at Stock Exchange Tonight

The monthly meeting of members of the chamber of commerce will be held this evening in the rooms of the Oakland stock and bond exchange, 422 Twelfth street, at 8 o'clock, instead of in the rooms of the chamber.

The change has been found necessary in order to accommodate the large number who have expressed a desire to listen to the address of Past Assistant Surgeon John D. Long of the United States public health and marine hospital service, on what is necessary for all citizens to do to help exterminate the cause of spreading disease.

Mayor Mott, representatives of the city health department, several prominent physicians and others will address the meeting. Many members of the chamber have expressed their intention of bringing the women of their families, as the latter will have much to do in the campaign against infectious disease.

It has been decided to have the meeting open to the public. On Wednesday evening, the exhibit of Alameda county products in the rooms of the chamber of commerce will be open to the public.

OAKLAND IMPRESSES RAILROAD MANAGERS

Santa Fe Department Heads Praise Our Growth and Progressiveness.

W. J. Block, passenger traffic manager of the Santa Fe at Chicago, and W. A. Bissell, John J. Burns and H. K. Gregory, assistant managers at San Francisco and Los Angeles, came to Oakland this morning on a tour of inspection and expressed themselves as surprised at the headway that is being made here in business and commerce. They will remain here for a couple of days and will likely make recommendations to the main office to push developments here.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—It was definitely announced this morning that the new Southern Pacific depot, at the intersection of Shattuck avenue and Center street, will be ready for occupancy by March 10.

Workmen are now busy putting the finishing touches on the structure, which is a block in length and will cost \$45,000 when completed. It is of Mission style of architecture and is considered one of the handsomest railway buildings on the coast. The walls are of white sand brick with red brick facing. In appearance it will resemble a cement structure with Spanish tiling and will be absolutely fireproof.

The Chamber of Commerce is preparing to celebrate the dedication of it with special exercises.

ROLL INTER-CLASS CONTEST TONIGHT

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—An inter-class contest will be held tonight at the Berkeley cigar store alley. Five men will be pitted against each other on each side, including two Class A two Class B and one novice. The highest number of pins in three games will decide the winning team.

The line-up will be as follows: A. DeVries, P. Moon, B. McClay, G. S. Brister, L. J. Moran, B. McCoy, E. Barthmeyer and G. Brister.

BANKER'S SON HELD AS ALLEGED BURGLAR

ALAMEDA, Feb. 19.—King Terrell, known as Jack Raymond, the son of a New York banker, was yesterday afternoon held to answer to the superior court on a charge of attempted burglary. The father of the boy is manager of the Columbia Trust Company of New York and is reputed to be wealthy.

ARRESTED FOR USING ROLLING PIN ON WIFE (SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Elizabeth Walker of 718 Montrose street caused her husband, William Walker, to be arrested last night on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. He hit her over the head with a rolling pin during a dispute at their home. Her physician fears that she may have a fractured skull.

MUSICALE FOR BIG CHURCH BENEFIT

Berkeley Parish Women Plan Affair.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—Word comes from the East of the fine dames Mrs. George W. Myer and her daughter Natalie of Berkeley are having in New York and Brooklyn. They are visiting with relatives and are being royally entertained. They are expected home in the early summer.

THE WOMEN OF All Souls' Chapel are planning a musical and literary evening to take place on March 23 at the parish home on St. Mark's for the benefit of All Souls. An attractive program will be presented by well known artists, the numbers to include instrumental and vocal selections, recitations and readings. Mrs. F. S. Burrows and Mrs. C. R. Breck have charge of the arrangements.

A WEDDING OF no little interest to the smart folk of Berkeley will be that of Miss Jeanette Peck to Frank J. Solinsky Jr., which will take place on Sunday at Mokolunne Hill, Calaveras county. The ceremony will be performed in the morning in the presence of relatives and a few chosen friends. Mr. Solinsky is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Solinsky. He is a graduate of the Berkeley High School, where he was one of the best known athletes. Of late he has been located in Calaveras county.

THE WEDDING OF Miss Harvey Anthony to Spencer Bishop will take place on Saturday afternoon of next week at the home of Mrs. Herbert Folger, the bride's sister, 3239 Warring street. Rev. Edward Lamb Parsons will officiate in the presence of a few relatives and friends. Following their honeymoon Mr. Bishop and his bride will make their home in Mexico. Miss Anthony is the daughter of Mrs. Josephine Anthony and the late James Anthony.

IN PURSUANCE OF a custom instituted last year the freshmen members of the various women's fraternities are planning to get together for a progressive dinner, at which all the members of the first year class who are numbered among the initiates of the various fraternities will participate. The date is set for March 3, according to present plan, and over 50 guests are to be included. Each fraternity house will furnish one course for the dinner, and at its conclusion each maid, with a fresh man guest will repair to the Hillside clubhouses for an informal dance. The progressive dinner is the distinctive freshmen affair and is much anticipated by the fraternity folk who are included.

CHARLES FLOYD has been entertaining as a house guest Herbert Schulze of Dixon, who has been visiting in Berkeley for several days past.

YOUNG MEN TAKE VETERANS' JOBS

Civilians to Be Placed in All Positions in Soldiers' Homes.

SAWTELLE, Feb. 19.—Civilians held in all departments is an order for the United States homes for disabled volunteer soldiers. It means the retirement of veterans from superior and subordinate positions.

In hospital and dining halls, headquarters and barracks the blue coat will give way to plain clothes and younger men. In the homes here the veterans are being replaced in minor places by younger civilians, but it is announced that the regulation will not be effective until July 1. Colonel T. J. Cochran, governor of the home, stated that the change was for the good of the service, and that the veterans, many of whom are past seventy, could no longer be expected to engage in active duties.

WATER RATE REMAINS THE SAME FOR ENSUING YEAR

City Trustees of Berkeley Fix Amounts at Meeting.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—The water rates for the coming fiscal year were fixed last night by the trustees. There will be no change from those of last year. Consumers will pay thirty-five cents a 1000 gallons, with a minimum meter rate of \$1.50 per month. The rate for sewer flushing, fire hydrants and street sprinkling is fifteen cents per 1000 gallons.

Trustee Corner made an effort to have the school rate, now based on private consumption schedule, reduced to the street figures but withdrew his motion.

ATTORNEY J. HATCH PLEADS NOT GUILTY

SAN JOSE, Feb. 19.—Although his arraignment was set for 10 o'clock this afternoon, Attorney Jackson Hatch, charged with felony embezzlement, quietly appeared with his attorneys before Judge Brown shortly after 11 o'clock this morning and was arraigned. He pleaded not guilty, and his examination was set for March 24. Three charges are now pending against him.

WOMAN LOSES \$500 IN DIAMONDS FROM STOCKING

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Frances Nelson, living at 5 Buena Vista avenue, is mourning the loss from her stocking of diamonds to the value of \$500 which she dropped while walking only one block last evening.

Mrs. Nelson had been visiting friends at 1600 Haight street and had placed the diamonds, consisting of earrings, a sunburst pin, and several smaller pins in her stocking. She supposes that they dropped out en route and has asked the police to find them for her.

BRIDE-ELECT IS HONORED

Miss Cook to Be Guest at Affair



GRACE COOK.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 19.—Miss Grace Cook is to be the honored guest at a reception to be given by Mrs. T. F. Bates at the last of this month. Since the announcement of the engagement of Miss Cook and Carl Rodin she has been the motif for a number of pleasant affairs. On March 5th Mrs. George Perry is to give a linen shower for her.

MRS. CHARLES BRADFORD was hostess this afternoon at her Pacific avenue home for the members of the Wednesday Club. The program for the day was in the nature of a musical and a story-telling contest. THE PLAYERS' CLUB is to meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. D. G. McMillan of 1220 Paru street. "Fenris, the Wolf" and "The Satyrs" are the books to be discussed at the meeting.

"THE BUTTERCUP CLUB" members are to meet tonight at the home of Elsie Horton. The members are the Misses Ethel Amann, Ruth Tisdale, Willow Butler and Elsie Horton. Alfred Goggin, Randolph Weinmann, G. Weeks and Raymond Snowden.

HEARTY WELCOME FOR IND. LEAGUE

Chicago Preparing Cordial Greeting for Big Convention of Organization

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Chicago is preparing to extend a cordial welcome to the Independence League who meet here for the big conference on February 22, the anniversary of Washington's birthday. The conference will be held at the Auditorium hotel and will be similar to the one held in New York City the last part of last September.

William Randolph Hearst will positively be present. He announces that he will make public at that time a number of additional appointments to the national executive committee.

The meeting next Saturday will be attended by the members of the provisional committee and some friends in various parts of the country who have manifested an enthusiastic interest in the league from its beginning.

Hearst Convalescing.

William Randolph Hearst, national chairman of the provisional organization, who has been confined at his home in New York for some days with an attack of the grippe, expects to be out in a few days. Accompanying Hearst to Chicago will be delegations from Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, Connecticut, New Jersey and New York.

Among the individuals expected are Thomas L. Hagen and Gerry Brown, who ran for Governor and Lieutenant Governor respectively on the Independence League ticket in Massachusetts last fall and put the league in second place, reducing the Democratic party to third on the list.

Grenville S. Macfarland, who resigned the chairmanship of the Democratic state executive committee of Massachusetts to join the league, will also be here.

Will Be Present

The two Independence League candidates for the Board of Appeals of New York state last fall, John T. McDonough and Reuben R. Lyon are expected.

Among others who will accompany Hearst are Colonel John Temple Graves of Georgia, Joseph R. Buchanan, the veteran labor leader of New Jersey; Deputy Attorney General Nathan Vidaver Shern, Henry A. Powell, Judge John Fairmire and others.

Former Attorney General Frank S. Mott of Ohio, whose fight against the Standard Oil Company made him celebrated, will also join the Hearst party on route.

From Pacific Coast.

Among other distinguished men in sympathy with the purposes of the conference are former Congressman John S. Rhea of Kentucky, former Congressman M. W. Howard of Alabama; James E. Drake, secretary of the State Federation of Labor and president of the Big Birmingham; John T. Johnson of Denver, Colo.; Hon. Frank P. Walsh of Kansas City, Mo.; Hon. J. I. Sheppard, of Fort Scott, Kas.; Hon. Louis A. Hoffman, of New Orleans; Senator John T. Powers of Minnesota; ex-State Auditor J. H. Calkender of Montana; Hon. Hardwig Peres, Memphis, Tenn.; Hon. E. Grandison Smith, Clarksville, Va.; Hon. Harry W. Duffenberg of Oklahoma; Hon. Charles F. S.

SAYS CLASS RULE IS WRECKING REPUBLIC

Prof. Boke Declares Americans Must Awaken to Social Consciousness.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—Before the political science section of the University yesterday afternoon Prof. G. H. Boke, of the law department, declared that the American republic is in danger of collapse because of class rule.

Instead of being a true democracy, the Berkeley savant declared, the present system of government is inorganic in structure and the only hope of America is in the awakening of the social consciousness which shall make of the present individual citizen a social citizen as well. Continuing, Prof. Boke said:

"My first contention is that the American democracy at the present time has been what I call inorganic. That it fails in being a true expression of democracy through its government because of inorganic construction. That the present pessimism that thoughtful men have to admitting that the outlook for democracy is not hopeful in its present condition, evidences a failure of representative government and presents actually the rule of the few through the guise and forms of democracy. The weak link in the chain of democracy is the comparative slight incentive, compared with the powerful incentive of the selfish interests and the powerful individuals.

Manipulate Government.

"The aggrandizing individual finds that he can manipulate the forms of democracy to serve his own personal ends. The less alert and less active citizen always arrives on the scene too late to have a real hand in determining the actual rule back of the forms of democracy.

"In the past we have had an organic political body, that is, we have had the forms of an organic government, but we have not had an organic democracy. By organic we mean the power within itself to determine its own end. The facts and conditions of today admit a failure of such power to operate, and the fundamental weakness of citizens when compared with aggrandizing individual's incentive. For this reason we call the present structure of democracy, as opposed to forms of government, inorganic, and we are faced with the question, Can we express democracy in organic terms? If the answer to this is no, then we should frankly adopt a responsible class rule, and give up all hope of true democracy. For a responsible class is to be preferred to irresponsible self aggrandizement.

Social Consciousness.

"I believe, however, that the true answer is 'yes,' and that the structure can be made organic. That the essential change will come in changing the present individualistic attitude of the American citizen into a new attitude, namely the attitude of social consciousness; the change from the individual into the social individual, from the citizen to the social citizen.

"This change is not a matter of reformation of character which would be it as out of the question, but it is simply awakening the minds of the people to a new view of themselves. As a matter of fact, this process has already set in, and class observers can point to certain groups of men in every community who have been converted from individualism to social consciousness."

BERKELEY BREVITIES

Will Meet Washington.—The varsity debaters have accepted a challenge to meet the team of the University of Washington for a finish talk at Seattle on April 17.

Pian Boating Benefit.—Boating students of the university are planning a benefit in Harmon Gym on February 28. Solos will be rendered by Harold Blighman and a monologue by Coleman Schwartz. John Tysowski, W. B. Parker and R. D. Montgomery compose the committee in charge.

Lithental Is Sued.—Sue was instituted yesterday by F. W. Richardson against Hugo H. Lithental, organizer of juvenile horticultural clubs, for \$48 in the justice court. Lithental is the man who threatened to institute proceedings to oust Postmaster Merrill because of careless delivery of his circular mail matter in connection with his various clubs.

Death on Rate.—Since the announcement of the bounty of 10 cents a head on rats made a week ago by the trustees, small boys have brought to the various fire houses designated as receiving stations 1178 carcasses of rodents.

SUBSCRIBE \$1442 FOR "CALIFORNIA" SILVER

The following subscriptions toward the fund for furnishing a silver service to the United States cruiser California were received yesterday by the Oakland chamber of commerce:

Previously acknowledged: \$1317.50. Hook Bros., furniture; \$10; James P. Taylor, real dealer; \$10; Howell, Dehmann & Co., crockery and glassware; \$10; Bowman Drug Company; \$10; Grand Piano Company; \$5; Smith Bros., hardware; \$5; California Soda Company; \$10; Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company; \$25; A. Jones, Hub Clothing Company; \$10; Abrahamson Bros., dry goods; \$10; Athens Hotel; \$10; Pierce Hardware Company; \$10; total to date, \$1442.50.

W. H. SEELY HELD TO ANSWER FELONY CHARGE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—Walter H. Seely, a prominent clubman who was arrested on a charge of defrauding Richard Ferris, lessee of the Auditorium Theater, was today held to answer in the Superior Court to a charge of embezzlement. Seely offered no evidence in defense.

JAPANESE NEWSPAPER ATTACHED FOR DEBT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Soto Shimbun, the Japanese daily newspaper, has been attached for debts amounting to about \$2000 said to be due for paper, ink and other material. The Soto Shimbun has been strongly opposed to the action of the school board in the Japanese matters, and the editorial utterances have been sensational and decidedly antagonistic to San Francisco. It published recently a pamphlet for free distribution which contained a list of alleged offenses against Japanese.

ABANDONMENT OF GARBAGE DUMP HOPE OF MANY CITIZENS

West Oaklanders See the End of Menace to Their Health

FOOD LADEN WITH DUST FROM THE REFUSE

Meat Wagons Driven Uncovered
Through Sections Where
Germs Fill the Air.

Property owners and residents near the city garbage dump in West Oakland are pleased with the prospects of the establishment of a municipal system of disposing of refuse that will do away with the dump. The spot has been complained of by persons in the vicinity for a long time and it was often a matter of serious consideration by improvement and civic bodies in that section of the city.

Menace to Health.

"The dump has been going from bad to worse," said Captain Adams yesterday. "The conditions are absolutely appalling. The stench arising from the acres of fifth and sixth class refuse is not only obnoxious, but a menace to the health of the community. People have told me, living as far east as Piedmont, that they could smell the foul odor. If those residents are affected by the dumping ground, what about the people living in close proximity to the incinerator?"

"But that is not all. The dump is bad enough, but it seems almost impossible when I tell you that many of Oakland's meat men haul their meat from the Emeryville stock yards along Peralta street, which bounds the eastern side of the dump, to their shops in Oakland. The meat is uncovered and subjected to the nauseating, penetrating and fearful odor that is lifted from the decaying garbage heap. It is a wonder that there are not scores of people sick from eating this meat. The city should stop the meat men from hauling their meat supply along Peralta street."

Calls It Outrage.

A. C. Dobson, a wood and coal merchant living at Seventeenth and Peralta streets, is another who is very bitter against the city dumping ground. "It is an outrage that should be permitted any longer," he said. "Every change of the wind carries the stench of the dump into the homes of scores of Oakland's residents. That sickness has ensued in the past and will follow in the future there is no doubt. The garbage heap should be removed and that at once."

L. H. Nesson, William Wilkins and others living near Twenty-second and Peralta streets, where the dump is located, have urged that the place be shut down.

An idea as to the immensity of the garbage heap is gained from the statement of Alfred E. Corns, foreman of the dump, and in the employ of the Pacific Incinerating Company, who said yesterday that 300 tons of refuse were dumped during the day, approximating 150 wagon-loads.

Since last October five or six acres of marsh have been filled with refuse to a depth of ten, twelve and eighteen feet. Five years ago an incinerating plant was in operation at the dump, but it was inadequate and by special permission of the council the Pacific Incinerating Company announced that it would care for all garbage hauled to the dump. For four years this corporation has charged the scavengers of Oakland a nominal fee of from 50 to 60 cents a ton for the privilege of using the dumping ground. No form of garbage was barred and as a result the four city blocks occupied by the dump are covered with bones of dead animals, a rotting and decaying heap of vegetation.

Dr. Long's Plan.

Dr. J. D. Long, head of the work of sanitation and exterminating rats, declared after a visit to the city dump that Oakland's system of garbage disposal was

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Address Clubs on Garbage Disposal

Mrs. J. B. Hume, the president of the Ebell Club, Mrs. Cora Jones, the president of the Oakland Club, and Mrs. P. R. Boone, the president of the Home Club, have called a meeting of their clubs for Friday, February 21, at Ebell Hall at 3:30 p. m., when Dr. Long, Col. John P. Irish and others will speak on the vital necessity for some other disposal of the garbage of this city. It is a subject of such importance to every housekeeper, to every family, to every intelligent person. All are cordially invited to the meeting of Friday afternoon.

the worst in the United States. He urged that steps be taken to remedy the evil and suggested that a municipal system of garbage collection and disposal be inaugurated. Dr. Long says that to carry the refuse out to sea is much cheaper and more sanitary than burning it.

At Monday night's session of the Council, Councilman Meese introduced a resolution requesting the City Attorney to draw up an ordinance declaring a bond issue for the purpose of raising money for the establishment of a municipal incinerating plant.

Several weeks ago the City Council appropriated over \$2,500 to send an expert to Eastern cities for the purpose of selecting a proper kind of garbage crematory plant for Oakland. This expert has not been appointed as yet.

The ground occupied by the dump is owned by the Pacific Incinerating Company, C. C. Davidson and associates. E. G. Stetson, Joseph Felicia, the estate of Joseph Boardman, Lizzie K. and Chris W. Beardsley. During the years the city has dumped its refuse on the marsh land,

a big portion of the acreage has been filled in.

System in Vogue.

The Pacific Incinerating Company, however, is the corporation controlling the dumping of garbage. The concern has eleven men in its employ who are at the garbage heap continually. A strict record is kept of all the wagons dumping garbage at the place and the owners of the wagons are charged accordingly. It is estimated that each dumpcart carries two tons of refuse.

Among those interested in the Pacific Incinerating Company are Alexander S. Lilley and W. W. Thurston of San Francisco, president and vice-president, respectively, of the Lilly-Thurston Manufacturing Company of 82 Second street, F. J. Melbourne of 559 Walsworth avenue, Oakland, is president of the incinerating company.

The city of Oakland is not interested in the dump, and the only regulation governing it is an ordinance passed at the suggestion of the Board of Health relative to the disposal of the garbage.

SHYS DESTINATION OF FLEET IS NO ONE'S CONCERN

Taft Tells New England Audi-
ences of Demands of
Orientals.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 19.—Following a crowded day and night of traveling, speech-making and sight-seeing, Secretary Taft arose early today and began another strenuous day's campaign. He was the guest during the night of Governor Floyd. He started on an early tour about the city this morning accompanied by the Governor and by former Governor Rollins.

The weather was cold and a light snow was falling, but Secretary Taft and his escorts drove in an open carriage. A committee of Nashua citizens came to Manchester this morning to escort the Secretary to their city, where he will make an address this afternoon.

Yesterday Taft was met at Boston early in the morning by a committee of the Taft Club of Concord and driven to the State House, where he was received by Governor Floyd. Reception at the State House followed. Then the Secretary was entertained at luncheon by the Taft association of New Hampshire. He addressed a mass meeting in Phoenix Hall in the afternoon.

"Three cheers for our next President" were given in response to a call from the gallery.

Taft's address was what he termed a "short history of the Republican party." He said among other things:

"The time has come when the Dingley tariff should be re-examined with a view to its revision on a purely protective basis."

Secretary Taft said the Republican party was the party of expansion and world influence.

"For the time we are an Asiatic power," said he. "We cannot remain isolated and it is our business to see that our world influence is good."

At this point Taft mentioned the name of President Roosevelt.

"No man ever has made so much for righteousness and peace among the nations as has Theodore Roosevelt," he said, and a storm of applause broke forth.

With reference to the Pacific voyage of the fleet Taft said:

"With the Oriental it is necessary to fill the measure of the eye in order to be convincing. It is no one's business where that fleet is going."

This sentiment pleased the audience greatly.

During the rest of the day Taft was entertained in Manchester.

MARRIAGE BY CONTRACT DECLARED TO BE LEGAL

Court Decides Agreement to Live
Together Is Valid.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—In granting a legal separation to Mrs. Katie Dietrich from Michael Dietrich, Justice Dayton of the Supreme Court has upheld the legality of a marriage by contract. Sixteen years ago the Dietrichs entered into a formal agreement to live together as husband and wife, and have so lived since. When Mrs. Dietrich sued for a separation on the grounds of cruelty, Dietrich denied any marriage. The decision upholds the validity of the contract marriage and grants the separation.

DUKE'S HEIR TO WED VIOLA TREE, ACTRESS

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Marquis of Granby, son and heir of the Duke of Rutland, will marry Miss Viola Tree, the actress, who is a daughter of Beerbohm Tree, England's great character actor.

The Rutlands are one of England's oldest historic families and possess Harrow Hall in Derbyshire.

The engagement results from an old family friendship.

The wedding of the Marquis of Granby, who is only twenty-one, is the greatest of England's matrimonial catches.

"My Fate Is Dashed."

Did not see Betty's Fate.

TRIP TO IMMENSE CEMENT PLANT IMPRESSES EXPERTS

Alameda County Engineers Well Pleased

As a result of their excursion to Danversport, Santa Cruz county, where is situated the new \$7,000,000 cement works, the most complete industrial plant of its kind on the Pacific Coast slope, a dozen of the leading engineers, representatives of construction companies and scientists of Alameda county have returned from an exhaustive examination of the works and are enthusiastic over the results of their journey as to impress upon the most optimistic that California is at last to be able to cope against the East as well as European concerns in the manufacture of this very modern constructive necessity.

Since cement has become such a great factor in every conceivable phase of construction work the Golden State has been able to compete in every direction and show results. The material at our feet is absolutely inexhaustible, but the lack of sturdy shoulders to build upon an enterprise of such magnitude, until recently, have been trod on with both feet and forced into the clay pit by Eastern enterprise. A new era, however, has set in.

Among those who visited the plant from Oakland to make a personal study of the works were City Engineer Fred C. Turner, Deputy Superintendent of Streets Charles F. Ott and Assistant City Engineer Brown. Mr. Turner was especially impressed with the results of his investigation.

"It is easily the most complete plant I have ever visited," he remarked in talking over the trip. "The design is excellently conceived to the end of economical production. The material exists in wonderful quantities—given a hasty survey showing practically limitless abundance to draw upon indefinitely."

"The plant is unusually perfect in its automatic arrangements—everything being carried on by machinery insures the uniform grade and conformity. While I'm unable to express myself from a chemical standpoint I do say that the plant appears to be as near perfect as it is possible for man to conceive."

A Wonderful Institution.

W. J. Moylan, under whose charge the party made the trip, has been the recipient of many letters of congratulation upon the success achieved by his company. Superintendent Ott writes:

"Accepting your kind invitation to visit the Santa Cruz cement works at Danversport, Santa Cruz county, I must say that I was astonished at the immensity of the plant and the quarries, also the rapidity with which the employees handled their work to make the finished product. The tests made of the cement, and if the factory were very satisfactory, and if the company maintains the same high standard and uniformity in the manufacture of the cement I see no reason why the Santa Cruz (Danversport) cement should not supplant the foreign cements now upon the market. Respectfully,

"CHAS. F. OTT,

"Deputy Superintendent of Streets."

W. W. Blair sends the following letter:

"In company with several officials of the city of Oakland and various contractors, I had the pleasure of examining and being shown over the cement plant of the Standard Portland Cement Company at Santa Cruz."

"My opinion is that the plant is the largest and best-equipped one of a coast, and the cement, therefore, of a high quality, and it is with great pleasure that I add my endorsement of the plant to the many you no doubt have already received."

"Yours very respectfully,

"W. W. BLAIR,

"Deputy Superintendent of Streets."

Engineer Brown said: "I was very much impressed at the size and design, and also at the amount of material available. I don't see how more perfect arrangements could be perfected or devised by human ingenuity for mixing the material. Even if the product stays at its present standard I believe it will be the superior of any imported cement. I don't claim to have made a special study on the subject previous to my trip but it was a wonderfully interesting experience and I feel extremely proud of it."

Superintendent of Streets Edward J. Turner, Deputy Engineer J. J. Jessup and C. Engeström, deputy superintendent of streets; Ward B. Etey, manager of the Estery Construction Company, and W. R. Appleton, chief engineer of the Spring Construction Company.

Deeply Impressed.

Mr. Turner was deeply impressed with the entire works. "I don't see any reason why that plant won't be able to cope with not only the Eastern companies, but European productions as well. Everything invented for the perfecting of a uniform grade is on the works. It should not only cope with improved products but outstrip the world in the

production of a superior article in uniformity as well as grade."

"There is no question about it being the most complete concern in this part of the country," said J. J. Jessup, "and it was the most interesting trip I have ever made for a purpose of this kind. Of course I, too, was struck by the immense amount of natural material in the immediate vicinity and upon which the company can draw almost indefinitely. The first products I can see must have been made of an inferior composition due to striking the first shallow layer of clay. As soon as this was removed the deep, rich article was exposed, and this may be drawn on indefinitely. There was an immediate impression that the product stood first; expense in getting the best article was secondary. It was a revelation to me."

Perfect Modern Plant.

Deputy Superintendent Engeström also was delighted at the results of his observations.

"I was deeply impressed at the immensity of the entire undertaking," he said. "Every modern improvement and idea is so arranged that the perfection of the whole plant cannot fail to impress the visitor. The machinery is so arranged that a perfectly uniform grade must be maintained."

Party of Experts.

While many of the party who started to examine the extensive works of the Standard Portland Cement Company at Danversport, Santa Cruz county, in this country in the composition and manufacture of cement and concrete, the average impression of the party was nothing less than that they were given an education as well as revelation of human ingenuity. The magnitude and mechanical perfection of the works, the crude material in the quarries and pits, the processes, the capacity, the cement and finally the finished concrete work itself was all in turn thoroughly digested and commended.

Hours were spent in the laboratories making analyses and exhaustive tests. The natural deposits it was found warrant an enormous output for years to come. This, of course, was well assured before undertaking a plant of such an enormous scale, over eighteen months being spent in making tests of the surrounding country.

The necessity of such an enterprise has been severely felt in this vicinity. Eastern companies have been in a position to gather enormous profits and a local industry capable of turning out as high grade product as these companies of the East has until the last few years been regarded as an impossibility.

Started in July.

Though the fires of the Standard Cement Company were only started last July the grade from the first has been the equal if not the superior, according to tests made wherever it had been used, on the imported article, and the advent of the new departure now that it has been clearly proven beyond all reasonable doubts is regarded with the greatest approval.

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ABANDONMENT OF GARBAGE DUMP HOPE OF MANY CITIZENS

West Oaklanders See the End or Menace to Their Health

FOOD LADEN WITH DUST FROM THE REFUSE

Meat Wagons Driven Uncovered Through Sections Where Germs Fill the Air.

Property owners and residents near the city garbage dump in West Oakland are pleased with the prospects of the establishment of a municipal system of disposing of refuse that will do away with the dump. The spot has been complained of by persons in the vicinity for a long time and it was often a matter of serious consideration by improvement and civic bodies in that section of the city.

Menace to Health.

"The dump has been going from bad to worse," said Captain Parsons yesterday. "The conditions are absolutely appalling. The stench arising from the acres of filth and refuse is not only obnoxious, but a menace to the health of the community. People have told me, living as far east as Piedmont that they could smell the foul odor. If those residents are affected by the dumping ground, what about the people living in close proximity to the incubator of rot?"

"But that is not all. The dump is bad enough, but it seems almost impossible when I tell you that many of Oakland's meat men haul their meat from the Emeryville stock yards along Peralta street, which bounds the eastern side of the dump, to their shops in Oakland. The meat is uncovered and subjected to the nauseating, penetrating and fearful odor that is lifted from the decaying garbage heap. It is a wonder that there are not scores of people sick from eating this meat. The city should stop the meat men from hauling their meat supply along Peralta street."

Calls It Outrage.

A. C. Dobson, a wood and coal merchant living at Seventeenth and Peralta streets, is another who is very bitter against the city dumping ground. "It is an outrage that should not be permitted any longer," he said. "Every change of the wind carries the stench of the dump into the homes of scores of Oakland's residents. That sickness has ensued in the past and will follow in the future. There is no doubt, the garbage dump is a place to be removed and that at once."

L. H. Nesson, William Wilkins and others living near Twenty-second and Peralta streets, where the dump is located, have urged that the place be shut down.

An idea as to the immensity of the garbage heap is gained from the statement of Alfred E. Combers, foreman of the dump, and in the employ of the Pacific Incinerating Company, who said yesterday that 300 tons of refuse were dumped during the day, approximating 150 wagon-loads.

Since last October five or six acres of marsh have been added to the dump. A depth of ten to twelve and eighteen feet. Five years ago an incinerating plant was in operation at the dump, but it was inadequate and by special permission of the council the Pacific Incinerating Company announced that it would care for all garbage hauled to the dump. For four years this corporation has charged the scavengers of Oakland a nominal fee of from 30 to 60 cents a ton for the privilege of using the dumping ground. No form of garbage was barred and as a result the four city blocks occupied by the dump are covered with bones of dead animals, a rotting and decaying heap of vegetable.

Dr. Long's Plan.

Dr. J. D. Long, head of the work of sanitation and exterminating rats, declared after a visit to the city dump that Oakland's system of garbage disposal was

Address Clubs on Garbage Disposal

Mrs. J. B. Hume, the president of the Kell Club, Mrs. Cora Jones, the president of the Oakland Club, and Mrs. P. R. Boone, the president of the Home Club, have called a meeting of these clubs for Friday, February 21, at 8 o'clock at 3:30 p. m., when Dr. Long, Col. John P. Irish and others will speak on the vital necessity for some other disposal of the garbage of this city. It is a subject of such importance to every housekeeper, to every family, to every intelligent person. All are cordially invited to the meeting of Friday afternoon.

the worst in the United States. He urged steps be taken to remedy the evil and suggested that a municipal system of garbage collection and disposal be inaugurated. Dr. Long says that to carry the refuse out to sea is much cheaper and more sanitary than burning it.

At Monday night's session of the Council, Councilman Meese introduced a resolution requesting the City Attorney to draw up an ordinance declaring a bond issue for the purpose of raising money for the establishment of a municipal incinerating plant.

Several weeks ago the City Council appropriated over \$2,500 to send an expert to Eastern cities for the purpose of selecting a proper kind of garbage crematorium plant for Oakland. This expert has not been appointed as yet.

The ground occupied by the dump is owned by the Pacific Incinerating Company, C. C. Davidson and associates. E. O. Stetson, Joseph Follick, the estate of Joseph Boardman, Lizzie K. and Cyrus W. Beardsley. During the years the city has dumped its refuse on the marsh land,

a big portion of the acreage has been filled in.

System in Vogue.

The Pacific Incinerating Company, however, is the corporation controlling the dumping of garbage. The concern has eleven men in its employ who are all the garbage heap continually. A strict record is kept of all the wagons dumping garbage at the place and the owners of the wagons are charged accordingly. It is estimated that each dumpcart carries two tons of refuse.

Among those interested in the Pacific Incinerating Company are Alexander S. Lillier and W. W. Thurston of San Francisco, president and vice-president, respectively, of the Lillier-Thurston Manufacturing Company of 22 Second street. F. J. Melbourne of 555 Walsworth avenue, Oakland, is president of the incinerating company.

The city of Oakland is not interested in the dump, and the only regulation governing it is an ordinance passed at the suggestion of the Board of Health relative to the disposal of the garbage.

SHYS DESTINATION OF FLEET IS NO ONE'S CONCERN

Taft Tells New England Audiences of Demands of Orientals.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 19.—Following a crowded day and night of traveling, speech-making and sight-seeing, Secretary Taft arose early today and began another strenuous day's campaign. He was the guest during the night of Governor Floyd. He started on an early tour about the city this morning accompanied by the Governor and by former Governor Hollis.

The weather was cold and a light snow was falling, but Secretary Taft and his escorts drove in an open carriage. A committee of Nashua citizens came to Manchester this morning to escort the Secretary to their city, where he will make an address this afternoon.

Yesterday Taft was met at Boston early in the morning by a committee of the Taft Club of Concord and driven to the State House, where he was received by Governor Floyd. A reception at the Eagle Hotel followed. Then the Secretary was entertained at luncheon by the Taft Association of New Hampshire. He addressed a mass meeting in Phoenix Hall in the afternoon.

"Three cheers for our next President!" were given in response to a call from the gallery.

Taft's address was what he termed a "short history of the Republican party."

He said among other things: "The time has come when the Dingley tariff should be re-examined with a view to its revision on a purely protective basis."

Secretary Taft said the Republican party was the party of expansion and world influence.

"For the time we are an Asiatic power," said he. "We cannot remain isolated and it is our business to see that our world influence is good."

At this point Taft mentioned the name of President Roosevelt.

"No man ever has made so much for righteousness and peace among the nations as has Theodore Roosevelt," he said, and a storm of applause broke forth.

With reference to the Pacific voyage of the fleet Taft said:

"With the Orientals it is necessary to fill the measure of the eye in order to be convincing. It is no one's business where that fleet is going."

This sentiment pleased the audience greatly.

During the rest of the day Taft was entertained in Manchester.

MARRIAGE BY CONTRACT DECLARED TO BE LEGAL

Court Decides Agreement to Live Together Is Valid.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—In granting a legal separation to Mrs. Katie Diedrich from Michael Diedrich, Justice Dayton of the Supreme Court has upheld the legality of a marriage by contract. Sixteen years ago the Diedrichs entered into a formal agreement to live together as husband and wife, and have so lived since. When Mrs. Diedrich sued for a separation on the grounds of cruelty, Diedrich denied any marriage. The decision upholds the validity of the contract marriage and grants the separation.

DUKE'S HEIR TO WED VIOLA TREE, ACTRESS

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The engagement results from an old family friendship.

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TRIP TO IMMENSE CEMENT PLANT IMPRESSES EXPERTS

Alameda County Engineers Well Pleased

As a result of their excursion to Danversport, Santa Cruz county, where is situated the new \$7,000,000 cement works, the most complete industrial plant of its kind on the Pacific Coast slope, a dozen of the leading engineers, representatives of construction companies and scientists of Alameda county have returned from an exhaustive examination of the works and journey as to the future of the cement industry that California is at last to be able to cope against the East as well as European concerns in the manufacture of this very modern constructive necessity.

Since cement has become such a great factor in every conceivable phase of construction work the Golden State has been able to compete in every direction and show results. The material at our feet is absolutely inexhaustible, but the lack of sturdy shoulders as could support an enterprise of such magnitude, until recently, have been tried on with both feet and forced into the clay pit by Eastern enterprises. A new era, however, has set in.

Party of Experts.

While many of the party who started to examine the extensive works of the Standard Portland Cement Company are as well versed as any men-in this country in the composition and manufacture of cement and concrete, the average layman of the party was nothing less than that they were given an education as well as revelation of human ingenuity. The magnitude and mechanical perfection of the works, the crude material in the quarries and pits, the processes, the capacity, the cement and finally the finished concrete work itself was all in turn thoroughly digested and commended. Hours were spent in the laboratories making analyses and exhaustive tests. The natural deposits it was found warrant an enormous output for years to come. This, of course, was well assured before undertaking a plant of such an enormous scale, over eighteen months being spent in making tests of the surrounding country.

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A Wonderful Institution.

W. J. Moylan, under whose charge the party made the trip, has been the recipient of many letters of congratulation upon the success achieved by his company. Superintendent Ott writes:

"Accepting your kind invitation to visit the Santa Cruz cement works at Danversport, Santa Cruz county, I must say that I was astonished at the immensity of the plant and the quarries, also the rapidity with which the employees handled their work to make the finished product. The tests made of the briquets at the factory were very satisfactory, and if the manufacture of the cement in the manufacture and uniformity in the manufacture of the cement I see no reason why the Santa Cruz (Danversport) cement should not surpass the foreign cements now upon the market. Respectfully,

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Berkley was represented in part by Town Superintendent of Streets Edward Q. Turner, Deputy Engineer J. J. Jessup and C. Engestrater, deputy superintendent of streets. Ward B. Estey, manager of the Battery Construction Company, and W. R. Appleton, chief engineer of the Spring Construction Company

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Neighborhood Favorite.

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INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS.

High License in San Francisco.

The Murdock liquor license ordinance, if adopted, will doubtless close up a lot of deadfalls in San Francisco which should be closed; but it will also throw out of business many restaurants and, possibly, some of the vaudeville playhouses whose profits are largely dependent upon the receipts from the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors and wines between acts in the main auditorium and the bar associated therewith and with doors opening thereon. "Blind pigs" are sure to multiply, however, for that is the invariable result of high license and prohibition. It is a notorious fact that in every prohibition State in the Union prohibition does not prohibit, while "blind pigs" flourish and intemperance increases. Maine is a noteworthy example. The proposed doubling of the license in San Francisco is, of course, a poorly concealed subterfuge resorted to in order to double, if possible, the municipal revenues. It is reasonable to assume that if the ordinance becomes law, as it probably will, the poor man's schooner of beer will pass into history and the moderately well-to-do citizen's whisky will be more heavily adulterated by the rectifiers and still further diluted by the retailers, while the plutocrat's high wines will be fortified and otherwise doctored at the risk of running up hard against the Federal pure food law. Meantime the public generally will be indirectly paying the increased tax through the nose. For all that, there is no denying the fact that a high license and prohibition wave is sweeping at present over the country.

If the Standard Oil Trust were to suspend the payment of dividends for the short period of seven months it would get out of debt to the United States government by satisfying the judgment of \$29,250,000 imposed upon it by United States Circuit Judge Landis as a penalty for its unlawful combinations with certain railroads in restraint of trade. The total dividends paid by the corporation to its stockholders during the past six months approximate \$25,000,000. Ninety per cent of the company's stock is owned by fifteen men and within ten years they have received in cash dividends \$349,000,000. Of this enormous sum John D. Rockefeller's share has amounted to \$117,000,000, as he owns 25 per cent of the total stock issue. What sane man living can be led to believe for one minute that this vast wealth has been honestly acquired in such a short time?

Mint Superintendent 'Makes Good'

Since Judge Edward Sweeney of Shasta was installed as Superintendent of the Mint, on the retirement of Frank A. Leach to assume the more responsible position of Director of the Mints, everything has continued to run smoothly. The high standard of the institution has been steadily sustained.

Judge Sweeney is making a splendid record for himself. That is what everybody who was acquainted with him and his past long and honorable career expected he would do. That is what his more intimate friends knew would come of his administration of the mint superintendency. Nobody has been disappointed. But it is nevertheless gratifying to the host of friends and acquaintances of the new superintendent that he is "making good" in every particular. And it is safe to predict for the future that the faith which is placed in his ability and integrity will continue inviolable.

Oblivion must have grabbed Alton B. Parker head, heels, body and all, for even in its present plight no one has thought of him as a probable candidate for the Democratic nomination.

A few more policemen as vigilant and with as good an aim and judgment as Patrolman Conley, and not afraid to shoot, would soon rid Oakland of the hold-up men.

Thomas Lipton, the perennial challenger for the America Cup, has probably learned long ago that there is many a slip between the Cup and the Lip (ton).

The seven men who allowed themselves to be held up by two bandits cannot have imbibed sufficient of the stuff that produces Dutch courage.

William Jennings Bryan made a few brief remarks at Buffalo the other day. His speech only took up three pages in a Buffalo paper.

The writers who are advising the automobiles now speeding across the country how to act must believe in auto suggestion.

From what the papers have to say of him it looks as though "Baby Jo" is somewhat of a tar baby.

Strange when one becomes a reformer how he always forgets to begin with himself.

Terse Press Comment

Condition of Affairs

In the Dominion of the Persian Shah

Fortunately the principal condition of the entente is that Persia shall be left independent; and the meaning of this agreement is that unless Europeans are massacred, the two powers shall abstain from interference—shall, in fact, "keep a ring" and allow the people and court of Persia to fight out their domestic quarrel. The people may use the Parliament as their instrument; but as the King can arrest all the deputies, it is much more probable that they will fall back upon older, and if we read history correctly, much wiser devices. They will either break up Persia into a number of principalities, which may or may not be federated, or if their pride in their most ancient and once most famous kingdom prevails that ruinous measure, they may call up a new dynasty to supersede the Kajars. If they selected the right man, which is possible, for the Persians may be described as an exceptionally brilliant Asiatic people, all might go well again for a couple

of generations. The satraps would be properly paid and therefore reasonable, and the fertile villages would be refilled from Central Asia, Armenia and Turkey. This is, we conceive, the best hope for the unhappy kingdom. Englishmen very naturally think that everything can be secured by a representative body; but they forget that a Musselman population, believing the Koran divine, feels no necessity for seriously altering its legislation, and that the Parliament may probably prove as hungry for money as the court. This one has already tried to arrogate to itself all executive power, an arrangement which would be certain to end in anarchy. The masses, particularly in the cities, long for a King—a just King—who alone, as they think, can protect them against the oppression of the satraps and their followers. The resemblance between Persia and France before the revolution is in appearance very close; but the French had got a solid idea for which they were ready to fight, and the history of England, to which alone they looked for precedents even when condemning their King to death, at all

events showed enormous strength of devotion to the representative principle. We shall see in a few weeks how the immediate struggle ends, but we have more hope in a fresh ruler than in any Parliament. In any case, we sincerely trust that both governments will adhere to their policy of keeping a ring. Neither of them needs a fresh and enormous expansion of territory. The Russians cannot bear the further outlays which they would think necessary to defend themselves against Great Britain, and we have no boundless reservoir of men. Slaves are good soldiers, even against Russians; but the Sikhs are already avoiding enlistment, pleading that their wages are now insufficient to keep up their dignity as freeholding soldiers. While we fight strenuously for all we have, it is better to avoid new and vast annexations which for years to come cannot pay even for sufficient garrisons.—London Spectator.

Quips and Humor

Stella—So your father gave you your choice?
Bella—Yes, he said he would buy me either a count or an auto.—New York Sun.

Patient (to dentist)—This gas is absolutely safe, isn't it?
Dentist—Don't worry, sir. In these times I couldn't afford to lose a customer.—Life.

"My wife never pays any attention to what I say."
"Mine does—sometimes."
"How do you manage it?"
"I talk in my sleep."—London Opinion.

Stage Manager (at rehearsal)—But you laughed in the death scene. You mustn't do that.

Actor—With the salary you give me I can only greet death with joy.
Megendorfer Blatter.

"Do you think horseracing a crime?"
"Sure."
"But you owned a string of horses last season."

"That's just it. I was referring to the way in which my horses raced."—Philadelphia Ledger.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

A grocer may smile when you take an apple, but he doesn't mean it.

A woman never admits a fault as she really means it.

Great men and tramps get more for nothing than any other class of people.

It is a good thing for you that people don't have time to investigate all your statements.

When a young woman asks a young man to let her sew on a button the world holds its breath.

When the people see a trunk go up the street from the depot they wonder who is catching it this time.

STOLE TO HELP STARVING FRIEND

Theft Charge Withdrawn When Victim Hears Story of Suffering.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Joseph Campion and his 12-year-old wife, the latter with a baby in her arms and another small child clinging to her skirts, went into the police court yesterday to answer a charge of stealing.
Accused with them was Mildred Dean, 19 years old, housekeeper of Thomas Queenan, the complainant. He said that articles had been stolen from his house by the two women, who had pawned them. Miss Dean told the court that she took the articles and gave them to Mrs. Campion, with whom she had formerly gone to school. She said she did it to keep the Campions from starving. Campion was ill and out of work and his family was suffering for food when Miss Dean discovered them.
She had no money, but stole from her employer's house to provide her friend and the babies with food. Mrs. Campion at first denied the story, but when she heard that they always had plenty to eat, but when the policemen told of several visits to the house and of the little ones crying for food, and with nothing to eat in the house but an onion, she admitted that the family would have starved but for Miss Dean's thefts. Queenan, on hearing the story, immediately withdrew the charge and contrived to get the Campions out of the court room for the family. Campion will have his choice of jobs this morning from spectators in the court room.

TO BE USED FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENCE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas T. Fowler have gone to Los Angeles. They have rented their house at Claremont to Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway and it will be turned into a Christian Science Home.

Pastor, Who Refused Salary, Dead

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—At Freeport, L. I., yesterday, the funeral of Rev. Charles Boynton, a former pastor of the Presbyterian Church, was held. While he was the church's pastor, Mr. Boynton became convinced that a minister should not receive compensation. When his congregation insisted he resigned. Later he built a home for which he made the bricks of oyster shells and lime in an oven he built himself. He was 75 years old.

ROOSEVELT HOPES TO AVOID TROUBLE BETWEEN RAILROADS AND EMPLOYEES

Deny United States Has Made Protest to Assist Manchurians

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Rumors to the effect that the State Department is about to address a protest to Japan against her attitude in Manchuria, and that this was to be done upon the instance of the government, met with unequivocal denial at the State Department.

It is admitted that complaints have been made to the department that American trade is suffering in the Orient, but it is believed other causes than Japan's attitude are principally responsible.

President on Railways.

President Roosevelt has sent a letter to the Interstate Commerce Commission, in which he indicated the importance of the commission's action with respect to the limitation of the hours of labor of railroad employees and points out the possibility of serious differences arising between the railroad companies and their employees with respect to wages and hours of labor.

It is understood the letter of the President will be made public by the commission.

The President strongly deprecates the making of any issue between railroad companies and their employees in the matter of wages, that can be avoided and instructs the commission to secure all possible information in advance, so that the responsibility may be fairly placed, and to hold itself in readiness to mediate.

Favor Treaty.

After hearing Secretary of State

Root, in explanation of the new proposed French arbitration deal today, the Senate committee on foreign relations, ordered a favorable report upon the treaty.

Friend Remembered.

Postmaster General Meyer, after conferring with the President today about postoffice nominations, said the President would send to the Senate today or tomorrow the nomination of Daniel E. Sullivan to succeed himself as postmaster at Cripple Creek, Colorado. When the President was campaigning in 1900 for vice-president he was insulted by a hoodlum at Cripple Creek, and it was Sullivan who promptly knocked the man down and settled the disturbance.

HOMES OF BERKELEY RICH ARE MOST UNCLEAN, ASSERT DOCTORS Must Obey Sanitary Rules or Be Prosecuted

"The poorer districts are comparatively clean, while among the hills, both north and south of the campus, the conditions are very aggravating. One of the most fashionable seminaries in all the State, not far from the campus, is reeking with garbage and refuse in the rear of its grounds, and its mistress is loud in her agitation for sanitation elsewhere. Some of the finest homes in all Berkeley have refuse piles in their back yards that would shame poorer and less pretentious people. The only thing these people make any effort to confine in cans are ashes, for the reason that loose ashes flying about are likely to soil dresses."—Extracts from interview with Dr. J. J. Benton, health officer of Berkeley.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—The first arrests under the new sanitary agitation were made this morning when John Korwitz and Walter C. Quinn were taken into custody for maintaining a private stable without proper sewer connections. The premises are on Virginia street in a fashionable section of Berkeley. Dr. J. J. Benton, Berkeley health officer, announces that unless there is a radical improvement in the conditions of all livery stables there will be arrests by the wholesale.

"Every livery stable in the town is a menace to health," said Dr. Benton. "It is a shame that they should be allowed to operate as they do. We have given the proprietors sharp notice to mend their ways or they will be prosecuted."

Rich Homes Unsanitary.
One of the surprising results of the investigations of the Berkeley Board of Health is that the most dangerous conditions are said to have been found in the fashionable districts of the town.

"The poorer districts are comparatively clean," said Dr. Benton, "while along the hills, both north and south of the campus, the conditions are very aggravating. One of the most fashionable seminaries in all the State, not far from the campus, is reeking with garbage and refuse in the rear of its grounds, and its mistress is loud in her agitation for sanitation elsewhere. Some of the finest homes in all Berkeley have refuse piles in their back yards that would shame poorer and less pretentious people. In scores of places we have found the Japanese servants dumping everything loose in the rear of the grounds. All sorts of garbage and refuse are dumped loosely anywhere, to be scattered with every wind. The only thing these people make any effort to confine in cans are ashes for the reason that loose ashes flying about are likely to soil dresses."

Dumps Along Avenues.

Dr. A. F. Gillman says that he has found fearful conditions in the homes of the wealthy people.
"The poorer districts of Berkeley are clean compared with what ought to be expected of the richer regions," says Dr. Gillman. "In fact the menace is greatest in the beautiful hillside sections, where there are miles of beautiful and attractive homes and where the people are supposed to be clean living and of clean habits."

"It's bad business. The rich people are less amenable to our requests for cleaning their premises. Maybe they think they are powerful enough to resist prosecution. The garbage situation is really more dangerous than the presence of rats. Had I my way I would leave the rats to the small boy and get after the wealthy violators of the sanitary laws."

Twenty there is a radical change forthcoming in the aristocratic homes or there will be wholesale arrests.

DECLARE TENDER GLANCES WERE DUE TO PSYCHOLOGY

Russians Defend Pretty Co-Eds' Annoyer

Judge Ellsworth's courtroom was crowded with pretty University girls this afternoon, who came there to testify to the offensive attentions that had been paid to them by Dr. Livingston, a Russian patriot, graduate of the University of Moscow, formerly a well known Russian journalist and intimate friend of Count Leo Tolstoy, who is being examined as to his sanity. These girls declare that Livingston had the habit of staring at them on the college campus and in the library until they were frequently compelled to run away in embarrassment. One of them, Miss Elizabeth Wolfe, has already testified that Livingston wrote offensive letters to her. These letters, five in number, were read in Judge Ellsworth's court. They breathe tender devotion and undying love. Miss Wolfe said her mother, who is the Chief Violator of Berkeley, and afterwards made the accusation against Livingston that he is insane. He has been confined in a cell in the detention ward of the Receiving Hospital for two weeks.

To offset the University girls there were present today in the courtroom a number of Russians, friends of the supposed insane man, who testified that he was not insane. His staring gazes, they declared, were due to the fact that he is a deep student of psychology and wishes to observe people closely. Besides this, they say, he is correspondent of several Russian publications, and writes to them of his observations of American people and institutions.

Wild Horseman.

He also told of an instance on the University campus when she was much terrified by the appearance of Livingston riding at full speed down hill, waving his hands in the air. She only saved herself from injury by scurrying to one side of the path.

Another witness was Miss Dorothy Burdoff. She also corroborated the story regarding Livingston's appearance at Miss Wolfe's home. She also said that Livingston had stared at her in the University library with such a penetrating gaze that she found it necessary to leave. Miss Burdoff, of the Chabot Observatory, said that she had also met with similar action from Livingston at the Oakland Free Library.

The other witnesses who appeared in court were Florence Burns, Miss L. C.

SHOOT TO CALL AID IN BURGLAR SCARE; ARRESTED

Lodging House Clerk Lands in Cell After Maudraiders Disappear.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Fearing that three men with whom he had had an argument would resort to violence and attempt to rob the office of the National Rooming House at 217 East street, Charles Weber, the night clerk, fired three shots into the air to summon help at 5 o'clock this morning, and when Policeman Casey arrived on the scene he was placed under arrest for discharging firearms within the city limits.

Weber says he had had a dispute with three men whom he had seen only once or twice before and was afraid that more serious trouble would result. He claimed not to have a police whistle and says he fired the shots to attract attention. When the police officer arrived the three men had disappeared.

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City Government by Commission Legal

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 19.—The Iowa Supreme Court yesterday handed down an opinion regarding the constitutionality of the Des Moines plan of municipal government by a commission, upholding the law in every particular.

BLACK HAND MURDER SUSPECTS RETAKEN

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—Three men, accused of connection with the "black hand" and are alleged to have escaped from the custody of policemen at Yreka, Calif., while under arrest on a charge of murder, were arrested by detectives in this city today. The men were accused of following up with dynamite the foreman of a mine in which they were employed.

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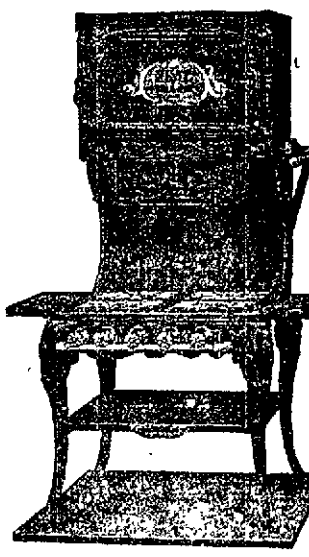
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CONVENTION HALL IN DENVER HUGE

Democratic Assemblage Will
Meet Mile Above Sea Level;
Auditorium to Seat 12,000.

"The next Democratic national convention will be held at an elevation of a mile above sea level, Denver, Colorado, where the convention meets July 7th, being at that altitude" said a visitor from Colorado in an interview. "They are building a magnificent auditorium in Denver for the convention, the idea being to have a permanent convention hall, similar to the great tabernacle constructed by the Mormons in Salt Lake."

The mammoth structure is built of stone and is absolutely fireproof and ought to last for generations. It will cost \$550,000, and is designed in accordance with the most modern plans so that the acoustic properties are perfect. It has a seating capacity of 12,000 people and is in all respects the finest convention hall ever constructed, as it is the most modern.

Big Preparation.

"When I was in Denver the citizens were making extensive preparations for the coming convention. It is looked upon as a sort of patriotic duty there to make all strangers feel at home and depart feeling they are well treated. About 100,000 tourists come to Denver every summer and the residents of Colorado have the faculty of entertaining strangers down to a science."

"One of the weighty reasons for taking the Democratic national convention to Denver was the coöperation of the weather in that city in July. Every convention that has been held in the East has suffered from the heat, but at the Denver gathering there will be no weather warm enough to make the audience feel uncomfortable."

"In the summer evenings the cool breezes blowing from the snow-clad mountains make the air delightfully cool. It is largely in the nature of an experiment to bring a convention so far west and the residents of Denver know the result will be watched with interest, so they are preparing to keep the credit of their city as a great popular meeting place for conventions up to the highest mark by leaving nothing undone to please the visitors."

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BRAZIL CUTS TARIFF ON AMERICAN GOODS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The president of the Republic of Brazil, to commemorate the visit of the Atlantic fleet to the city of Rio Janeiro, has signed a decree authorizing the continuation of rebates

CATHOLIC HUMANE BUREAU HELPS NEEDY ONES AND PUTS DOWN VICE

CLARA PENDEGAST.
Belle-Oudry photo.

MISS KATE BYRNE.



MRS. W. T. MORTON.

MISS J. F. HANLON.

on tariff charges on articles of American merchandise during the fiscal year 1908. The rebates which are continued apply to wheat, flour, condensed milk, nutmegs, rubber, watches, writing ink, varnishes, typewriters, refrigerators, pianos, scales and windmills.

WASHINGTONIANS VISIT DEL MONTE

Many Merry Parties at Resort
and Enjoy Golfing and
Riding.

DEL MONTE, Feb. 18.—Several Raymond and Whitcomb excursion parties have arrived here during the past week, and on Wednesday Del Monte was literally invaded by an army of excursionists from the State of Washington, all of whom at the termination of their visit expressed themselves as being pleased with this section of the country. The party comprised the Inland Empire Excursion and includes 226 people, most of whom were wealthy men in various lines of trade and professional men from Spokane and Walla Walla, who are touring the State studying the resources of California and the business methods of its merchants, while at the same time enjoying the scenery and their entertainment along the way.

The party breakfasted at Del Monte, after which they were taken around the seventeen-mile drive, returning here from luncheon and leaving in the afternoon for Paso Robles. These visitors saw Del Monte under the most favorable circumstances, for the day was glorious, sunny and balmy, and its beautiful gardens were in full bloom.

Rev. Frederick W. Clappett and his son, Robert Clappett, spent a couple of days here during the week.

Touring State.

Mrs. M. C. Low and Miss Flora Low, who have been in Southern California for the past two months, returned here last week, visiting in Los Angeles on the way back. Accompanying them was Miss Ella Morgan, Miss Morgan's mother, Mrs. W. P. Morgan, with Mrs. J. E. Parker of Hamilton, Ont., was here for a few days during the week.

Mrs. A. N. Towne and her daughter, Mrs. Clinton E. Worden, who were called to San Francisco suddenly about a week ago by the news of the death of Mr. Worden's mother, have returned to Del Monte.

Mrs. Richard W. Davis came down from San Francisco Saturday to remain for a week or two. Mrs. Davis will be joined next Saturday by her husband, who will spend the week and with her.

J. Downey Harvey spent the week-end with Mrs. Harvey, as is his custom.

From New York.

Mrs. J. B. Correll had her sister, Miss Eulalie Jessup, with her for a couple of days during the week.

A. G. Mills of New York was here for a few days last week on his way to Los Angeles. Mr. Mills was here several years ago with the late John W. Mackay when he remained for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Seignitz from London, England, last Thursday and Friday hired one of the Del Monte cars and rode up to San Jose where they visited the Lick Observatory, returning here on Sunday.

A. J. C. Galletty, also from London, is spending a few weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Blatz and a party of friends from Milwaukee arrived from the south during the week in their private car "Signal."

Among the prominent Eastern people who are spending several weeks here are Mrs. James W. Neill and Miss Violet Neill, who are at present making their home at Pasadena.

Enjoy Golfing.

A party who spend much time golfing and riding horseback is composed of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilcox, Miss Wilcox, E. B. Wilcox and T. B. Wilcox Jr., from Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McLaughlin of Denver, Col., who are spending the

MASS MEETING TO TELL PURPOSE IS PLAN

Jurists and Clergy Will Address
Order That Does Good for
Sufferers of Oakland.

The Catholic Humane Bureau is making plans for a mass meeting to be held in the near future when the bureau intends to expound its purposes and the work it purports to do to alleviate the burdens of the distressed and needy ones who are brought to the organization's attention. Prominent speakers at the meeting will be the Rev. Dr. Brown, Judge Murasky, Father McSwaney and Judge Wase.

The bureau was founded by the Catholic Ladies Aid Society recently and has opened quarters at 906 Broadway, where it conducts a non-sectarian institution which is dependent upon the public for its support.

The object of the bureau is to suppress vice, saloons and the sale of tobacco to children.

There are four branches of the Catholic Humane Bureau, which were formed into a provincial council at a convention held in Berkeley February 11. The provincial officers are Miss Kate F. Byrne, provincial; Mrs. P. P. Hogan, provincial promoter; Mrs. Clara Pendegast, registrar; Mrs. W. T. Morton, secretary and Mrs. J. F. Hanlon treasurer.

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Washington Birthday Excursion Rates

On February 21st and 22nd the Southern Pacific Company will sell excursion tickets to all points in California at one fare and one-third where the one-way rate will not exceed ten dollars. Ask Southern Pacific Agents for further information.

CONSTRUCTION FIRM FAILS FOR \$30,000

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—The Practical Gas Construction Company made a voluntary assignment yesterday and will go out of business. It schedules its assets at \$90,000 and liabilities at \$120,000. President J. A. Bower states that business has been poor lately and therefore it was decided to close the factory, which employed 350 men.

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spring months at Del Monte, sent to San Francisco for their automobile and are now enjoying the many beautiful drives which the present delightful weather makes possible.

C. Lincoln, Pacific Coast representative of the Pullman Company, and his son, came down from San Francisco last Saturday to join Colonel Charles S. Sweet of Chicago, and his wife, Miss Ramona C. Sweet. Colonel Sweet is a Ramona C. Sweet. Colonel Sweet is a

Curry Pierce of San Francisco, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William V. Leach of Philadelphia, arrived on Saturday for a few days' visit.

Professor J. A. Childs of the University of California is spending a few weeks

NINE WARSHIPS WILL BE HERE BY NEXT FRIDAY

Nine warships will be in the bay next Friday.

The battleship Nebraska arrived in port yesterday afternoon from Magdalena bay, bearing news that the armored cruiser Washington, flying the pennant of Rear-Admiral Sebree, the West Virginia, flying the pennant of Rear-Admiral Dayton, and their sister ships, the cruisers Tennessee, Maryland, Colorado and Pennsylvania will be due to arrive here on Friday of this week from Magdalena bay. They are to be joined in the bay by the cruisers California and South Dakota, now at Mare Island.

Visitors are to be received on board the warships next Sunday afternoon. A few days later the cruisers Colorado and Pennsylvania will go up to Bremerton navy yard and the West Virginia and Maryland to Mare Island navy yard for repairs.

Unofficially the officers and men of the Nebraska learned that the armored cruiser Maryland made a record of 8.41 hits per man per minute with her six-inch battery, and that this remarkably good score was later equaled by the men of the protected cruiser Charleston.

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MOTHERS' CLUBS WILL OUST INFECTED RODENTS

Call Woman's Mass Meeting to
Start Sanitary Campaign.

BERKELEY, Feb. 19.—The Berkeley Mothers' Club has joined in the crusade for better sanitation. At a business meeting of the Federated Mothers' Clubs yesterday afternoon in Y. M. C. A. hall it was decided to join with the Board of Health, the schools and the Town Trustees in leaving nothing undone to exterminate rats and bring about cleaner back yards and premises generally.

Mrs. Elmer Carlisle, president of the Berkeley Mothers' Club, presided. All the addresses on plaque situation were enthusiastically received and it was decided to call a mass-meeting of the women of the town at an early date to complete details of a campaign to be undertaken by them.

CALIFORNIANS HONOR NATIVE PLAYWRIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Californians in New York went last night to the New Circle theater, where Kolb and Dill are appearing in the musical comedy hit, "Lonesome Town."

The playhouse was decorated with poppies and the colors of Stanford and the University of California.

Kolb and Dill made their debut on Broadway recently and their play, which was written by Judson C. Brusse of San Francisco, was an immense hit. It was in honor of Brusse and the two comedians that the theater party was given tonight.

MANY HIE THEMSELVES TO PACIFIC GROVE ON OUTINGS

PACIFIC GROVE, Feb. 19.—J. B. Knowles of Oakland, accompanied by W. H. Bull of San Mateo, spent a few days at Pacific Grove hotel last week. Knowles is interested in the Del Monte Park reservation, which is situated a mile south of Pacific Grove.

W. H. Cady and his daughter, Miss Ethel Cady of Providence, R. I., are at the Pacific Grove hotel for a fortnight's stay.

A. C. Bassett of Menlo Park spent a few days with his wife, who is stopping at the hotel.

H. H. Ledyard of San Jose was in the Grove for a few days during the week. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gross of Chicago are registered at Pacific Grove hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Goodfriend came down from San Francisco for a week's outing in the Grove.

Dr. J. M. Stubbs and Mrs. Stubbs of the Reno State University spent a few days at the Pacific Grove hotel during the week.

The Swine and the Flower
Oh me! I saw a huge and loathsome sty,
Wherein a drove of wallowing swine
were bared,
Whose banquet shocked the nostril and
the eye;
Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source
of lard!"
I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first
One gleaming mass of roses pure and
white,
With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage
nursed;
And, as I lingered o'er the lovely sight,
The summer breeze, that cooled that
Southern scene,
Whispered, "Behold the source of
COTTOLENE!"

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Because every Winter suit in the store that sold regularly for \$30, \$27.50, \$25, \$22.50 and \$20 is included in this sale and is now \$15.

Because every suit is made up in the latest fashion from new and stylish fabrics.

Because the designing and workmanship are the kind found only in clothes of the highest character.

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SURPLUS STOCK ALE

These are the final days of this great and very successful sale—the next two days will be devoted to the closing out of all the little and remnant lots that the fast and furious selling has left in its wake—some of the richest prizes of the sale will reward those who come this week.

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- The Desirable Remnants of Silks and Velvets at Just Half the Marked Prices.
- The Remnants and Suit Lengths of Fashionable Dress Goods at Just Half the Marked Prices.
- The Sample Lengths of Table Linens at Less than Cost of Importation.
- The Wonderful Bargains in Broken Lines of Women's and Children's Footwear.
- The Drummer's Samples of Tapestries, Satin Damasks, Petit Points, Satin Russes and Repps at Half Price.
- The Remnants of Silkolines, Cretannes, Colored Muslins, Fancy Nets and other Draperies at Half Price.
- The 75c Messaline and Louisine Silks, in Roman Stripes and Stylish Plaids, at 48c a yard.
- The Strictly Up-to-date Cloth and Silk Suits for Women at Just Half Regular Prices.
- The Really Amazing Bargains in Waists, Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons, Veilings, Art Linens, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Hosiery, Men's Furnishings and Other Goods.

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY SATURDAY—WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

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THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE

TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STREETS, OAKLAND

FLOODS SWAMP THOUSANDS OF ACRES OF LAND

REFUGEES SUFFER IN WIND, RAIN AND SNOW

Ohio River Passes Danger Mark

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 18.—The flood situation in southern Indiana is not so serious today. Swollen rivers in the region during last night and thousands of additional acres of low lands are submerged.

At Evansville the Ohio is rising and falling. Rain and now fell during the night. Floods today by a cold wind causing much suffering among the refugees.

Danger Grows Greater.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—The danger line fifty feet was reached by the Ohio river here at noon today and the rise continues. Weather forecaster Paster estimated the full height at 52 feet and said he expected the river to begin falling on Friday.

SAY GLOBE HOTEL MAY COLLAPSE ANY TIME

Lessee Sue for \$5000 Bonus and Relief From Responsibility for the House.

San Francisco, Feb. 18.—The Globe Hotel at Broadway and Third streets was brought today by C. C. Butler and E. F. Luter, tenants of the hotel, against Charles J. Rogers, its owner.

The plaintiffs say they leased the hotel on September 1, 1906, from Rogers for a monthly rental of \$5000. Rogers says they paid him a bonus of \$5000 for the lease and that they are now in possession of the hotel with the privilege of renting it for two years more.

They say that the hotel is unsafe and that the lease was made in violation of the law. The Butlers charge that the house is cracked and still cracking, and that smoke from the chimneys is entering the rooms, making it impossible to live there. They say that the building was started in 1904 and that they had the building examined by an expert who told them it was unsafe and that it might collapse at any time.

The suit is for the recovery of the \$5000 paid as bonus for the lease and for a release of the plaintiffs from the obligations of the lease. Deputy District Attorney William Hoff Cook of San Francisco is their attorney.

FIRST WARD ASKS FOR FIRE ENGINE

Petition From Citizens Reaches Commissioners and Goes to Council.

A petition signed by 150 citizens of the First Ward for the location of a chemical engine at Fortieth street and Piedmont avenue was presented at a meeting of the Police and Fire Commissioners this morning. The petition being signed by Charles J. Ross of 419½ Piedmont avenue. The petition was referred to the City Council.

The Board of Works accepted plans and specifications for an interlocking sewer on Second street from Jackson to Oak streets. The sewer is to have its outlet at Oak street and bids for its construction are to be advertised in a few days. Each month its salary has been held up by City Auditor Gross but will now be paid. All such positions will in the future be created by ordinance.

CAR SMASHES CARRIAGE, HOLDING THREE WOMEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—A carriage containing Mrs. M. E. Russell, Mrs. Edward Younger and the wife of Dr. Soule was struck by a south bound Polk street car last night at Polk and Bush streets and hurled into the gutter.

The car was wrecked but its occupants escaped without injury. Thomas Cosgrove, a driver, was slightly bruised.

The three women were en route to the Agnes Robb lecture at Century hall when the accident occurred. Just before reaching Polk street a car sped along and the driver sent his team across the track immediately behind it. He heard a warning shout, and turning around saw a second racing car bearing down upon him. Then came the crash.

H. C. Whitmore, the motorman of the car, was arrested on a charge of fatality. He was later released.

Before submitting to being taken to the hospital Cosgrove telephoned to his stable and had another carriage sent to take his passengers to their homes.

Hurt by Cotton Mill Explosion

LOWELL, Mass., Feb. 18.—Eleven men were injured, two probably fatally, by the explosion today of the economizer at the Crompton mill. The explosion occurred at one of the boilers in the new power house at Hamilton corporation, a cotton manufacturing establishment in this city. The explosion necessitated the shutting down of the entire plant, throwing out of employment more than 1200 operatives.

DUTY NOT BRAVERY LEADS TO DEATH, SAYS CROKER

Fire Chief Declares Men Who Join Department Must Expect to Be Killed.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—That extraordinary bravery should not be ascribed to firemen who lose their lives in the performance of their duty is the opinion of Fire Chief Croker, expressed in an interview regarding the death of Deputy Fire Chief Kruger, who was killed by falling through a trap door into a sub-basement filled with water while seeking an opportunity to reach a fire which was raging in an adjoining building. Four other firemen have been killed with a man.

The only brave men show according to Chief Croker is when they enter the department. They know then that they are taking their lives into their hands and that they are liable to be killed at any moment. After the first plunge all is a matter of simple duty.

Killing Unavoidable
It happened that those men got killed. That is an eventuality which is always reckoned on as a possibility by a fireman. And that all there is to it, says the Chief. Firemen have been killed in this city before. Charles Kruger and the other four lost their lives. Firemen will be killed right along. It can't be helped. Some people say that firemen are trained to be reckless. That is not so. Fire fighting is a business. The business of a fireman is to put out the fire—quickly, the quicker the better. To put one out it is usually necessary to get close to it and the closer you get the more dangerous becomes your position. Accidents will happen—there you are.

Agrees With Croker.
In speaking of Chief Croker's views on the bravery and duty of firemen, Chief Ball of the Oakland department said this morning.

Chief Croker has correctly put the whole thing in a nutshell. Any man who joins a fire department the police force or other such organization should fully realize the danger he may be obliged to face at any time. No fireman knows when he may be called upon to make his last run. In regard to bravery, however, I must say that there are different forms of bravery. Where a house is filled with smoke and a fireman forces his way into the building to save either life or property, he should be commended for his act. Every good fireman is both brave and filled with a sense of duty. Bravery and duty go hand in hand in the life of a fireman.

TURNER SOLVING SEWER PROBLEM

Plans Erection of Pumping Plant to Flush Main Lake Sewer.

At a meeting of the board of works this morning, City Engineer Turner said he was of the opinion that he had solved the problem of successfully flushing the Main Lake sewer. He suggested that the city at once take steps for the erection of a pumping plant at Harrison and Twentieth streets to force the water from the lake into the sewer sufficient force being provided to thoroughly flush the sewer. The tide is now dependent upon the water but this has proved to be unsatisfactory. The suggestion of the city engineer was adopted by resolution and plans will be drawn for the construction of the proposed plant. The city council will be asked to appropriate funds for the work from next year's appropriation in order that the plant can at once be constructed.

Editor Noyes Still Is Critically Ill

PASADENA, Cal., Feb. 18.—The condition of Crosby S. Noyes, editor-in-chief of the Washington Evening Star, who is critically ill at the Hotel Raymond, was this morning reported as practically unchanged. The patient is reported to have passed rather a bad night, but there are no alarming symptoms. Frank B. Noyes, of Chicago, arrived at his father's bedside last night.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS DANCE IN INTEREST OF AN OPERA

LILLIAN HUG



CORA CLAYTON.



MISS MOLLIE BUTLER

WANT MONEY TO HAVE SCORE PRINTED

Proceeds of Reception Will Get Music of "Haymakers" for Presentation.

The girls of the Polytechnic High school are planning an entertainment and dance to be given February 28 at the Cadet Armory. The club intends to give the old English opera, "The Haymakers." As none of the girls carry the music a committee has decided to have the necessary number of copies printed and it is to raise money for this purpose that the dance and entertainment is to be given.

The officers of the club are: Georgina C. Taft, president; Mollie Butler, vice president; Ruth Roberson, secretary; Lillian Hug, treasurer; Carmen Mouritz, librarian.

The girls will be assisted by the Boys Athletic Association and the hall will be decorated with flowers and greens. The program is as follows:

Sextette—Starlight Stairlight
Cora Clayton, Carmen Mouritz, Miriam Sapiro, Ruth Roberson, Alice Nielsen, Pauline Coffey

Trio and Chorus—A Rose Song
Dora Galindo, Hazel Miller, Georgiana Taft (Chorus of Roses)

Whistling solo—Gertrude Abernethie
Bartons solo—Charles Hildesley

Nearly all the girls in the school who sing are members of the club and those who belong are:

Glauv-Horn
Jean Bartie
Florence Barry
Marie Butler
Hessie Britton
Helen Bru
Lydia Crowley
Cora Clayton
Pauline Coffey
Alice Flint
Margaret Gray
Dora Galindo
Hilda Hoffmann
Gertrude Holcroft
Michael Jewell
Lillian Leavitt
Dorothy Holtrold
Hazel Miller
Evelyn Morton
Lillian Nielsen
Alice Nielsen
May Nunan

MRS. WALLACE GRANTED A DEGREE OF DIVORCE

Three Other Women Ask That Their Ties Be Broken.

Mrs. Lucy V. Wallace has been granted a final decree of divorce from Grant Wallace, a former San Francisco newspaperman, who is at present in Cuba as correspondent for a New York daily.

The following new suits for divorce have been begun: Sadie Ernest against Albert J. Ernest, cruelty; Cora T. Black against M. H. Black, desertion; Ruby N. Colgett against Charles M. Colgett.

Mystery Surrounds Death Landlady Suspected Suicide, but Bruises and Blood Bear Out Victim's Story of an Attack by Thugs.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Considerable mystery surrounds the death of Frederick Petrait, 29 years old, a clerk in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company, who was found dead at 5 o'clock this morning at the residence of Mrs. Brinkman.

According to the story told by Mrs. Brinkman, Petrait had a room at her house. He came home late last night in a semi-intoxicated condition and told her that he had been held up and beaten.

He exhibited a large lump on the side of his head and his collar was covered with blood. He retired immediately and Mrs. Brinkman asserts that at 5 o'clock this morning she got up and went into his room to see how he was.

She found him upon the floor and summoning assistance placed him upon his back. She then noticed that he had fallen into the room and noticed that he was not breathing. Hastily she summoned Dr. Collins of 1110 Geary and St. Francisco street and when he arrived he pronounced the man dead.

The coroner, if he was notified and the body was taken to the morgue. In the man's room was found a bottle which may have contained cyanide acid and arsenic.

Mrs. Brinkman stated further that Petrait offered to commit suicide and she told him that it had failed. She said that she found him on the floor and that she was not sure if he had been murdered or if he had committed suicide.

ENTER DEFENSE OF FOWLER BILL

Ex-Secretary Gage Declares That Country Is Making Important Financial History.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The principles of the Fowler bill were defended today by former Secretary of the Treasury Luman Gage. This is the first time since the bill was introduced by Sen. John A. Bland, of New York, before the House Committee on Banking and Currency.

Ex-Secretary Gage said that he had reached the most important period of the financial history of the country in the past 40 or 50 years and that the solution of the problem depended largely upon the men making up the banking and currency committee.

DENIES RAILWAY HAS A RECEIVER

George Gould Declares Missouri Pacific Is Not Involved in Any Manner.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—R. P. G. Gould, president of the Missouri Pacific Railway, today denied the report that the railway had a receiver.

There is absolutely no truth in these reports or any other of that kind involving this property, said Gould. Receivership proceedings have not been thought of and even if some of the property is not even the most remote possibility that they will.

STOESSEL'S FATE NOW WITH COURT

Sentries Guard Room of Judges, Who Expect to Reach Decision Tomorrow.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 18.—The fate of Stoesel is now in the hands of the court. Sentries guard the room of the judges, who expect to reach a decision tomorrow.

Stoesel is a man of 35 years, of German descent, who was arrested on the charge of having committed a crime. He is now in the custody of the St. Louis police.

Get Ready For Washington's Birthday

Tomorrow and Friday are the national shopping days for Washington's birthday, which falls on Saturday, and for which day we name two very attractive specials in our men's and boys' departments.

\$25.00 Men's Suits \$11.65 and Overcoats

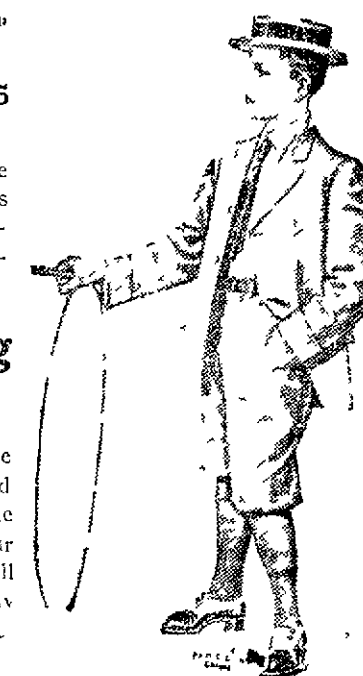
Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$25 for \$11.65—the majority of our winter materials. There are a great many light colored fabrics among them suitable for spring.

\$7.50 Blue Serge Suits \$4.85

For boys 9 to 15. A swaggar double breasted blue serge suit, that sold for \$7.50 for \$4.85. These suits are made of double twist indigo serge—splendidly tailored, pants lined throughout, seams taped and reinforced. Also fancy mixtures.

Arrival of Men's Spring Suits

For the past few days our men's spring suits have been arriving in great numbers and as they are packed exclamations of surprise and delight at the beauty of the patterns and snappiness of the styles are expressed by our men. You should see them. As to the price you will know that we sell clothing for a great deal less than any other retailer, so you naturally expect to find great values here, and you'll not be disappointed.



S. N. WOOD & Co.

Washington and Eleventh

LIVELY BOUTS AT THE RELIANCE CLUB

FIGHTERS WORRY AND FRET LAST WEEK OF TRAINING

Sullivan and Ketchel, Ready for Sound of Bell, Become Anxious for Fracas—Coffroth Will Have Plenty of Cars on Mission Street.

BY EDDIE SMITH.

With most every sort of athletic contest, a contestant training for such event frets and worries himself the last few days into such a state of irritability that he becomes unbearable to everyone with whom he comes in contact.

This condition applies to the boxing game more than any other sport. The chief reason for this as explained by men who have had the experience of competing in all sorts of events is that there is a sort of dread against defeat that overcomes one that completely changes the whole make-up of a man.

With the ordinary event the thought of defeat or the disgrace of such an ending to an event does not appeal to a man as it does in boxing.

When Jim Corbett was actively interested in the game of fistfights he was one of the most irritable men that ever lived during the last week of his training, and sparring partners and trainers always dreaded the task of training him the last week.

Jeffries was the same, but he worked his men off in another way from Corbett. Corbett would shout at and order his trainers about as if they were slaves, and as black as eyes and bruised faces are not good even for fighters' trainers, nearly the answer that came back.

Jeffries was different in that he would work his men off by being sulky and doing just the opposite to what his trainers wanted him to do. As the time for the contest approached Big Jim always became so sulky that he was most beautifully let alone by every one around the camp.

Ketchel and Sullivan, who will meet Saturday at the Mission-street arena in a twenty-five round contest, have reached the last few days of their training without suffering any sprains or bruises that sometimes worry the fighter and trainer half to death.

If one was to suggest to either of the men who are to meet next Saturday that he was cranky and unbearable he would be ready to fight and no amount of argument could convince him that he was anything but the most pleasant and affable fellow in the land, even though they are both worried.

For the writer's part he would just as soon know the fighters from a distance at present unless it was to have a short talk with them regarding the coming battle.

Both men realize that a win at this time means much to them and also realize that to lose just at this time would mean a setback that would take some time to recover from. The defeated fighter in this coming battle must sit back and watch the other fellow pick up many dollars in future battles and also from the natural hate for losing in a con-

test there is a monetary standpoint that makes the fighter feel that they must try hard for the winner's end.

Jimmy Coffroth, in talking with the writer last evening over the phone, announced that he was negotiating with the United Railroads and that he had been promised plenty of cars on the Mission-street line both before and after the fight.

Coffroth has negotiated with the company before, and it must have seemed to him that the promoter must have some fine save when he has been able to get the company to give him the fine service that they have for all his contests held at Colma.

The little details of the fight are now bothering the promoter and he as well as the fighters will fret and worry from now until the thing is over. And who wouldn't, with all sorts of people bothering one to death for tickets and all sorts of schemes put up to get the better of the other fellow. If there is any one in the land who is of the opinion that it is an easy matter to conduct a boxing show successfully as Coffroth surely does, then he should follow that individual around for the next few days.

Edwards Wants Another Chance

Frankie Edwards has written that he is anxious for another try at Johnny Frayne and claims that his defeat at the hands of Frayne at Redding the other evening, when he was put away in five rounds, was anything but fair.

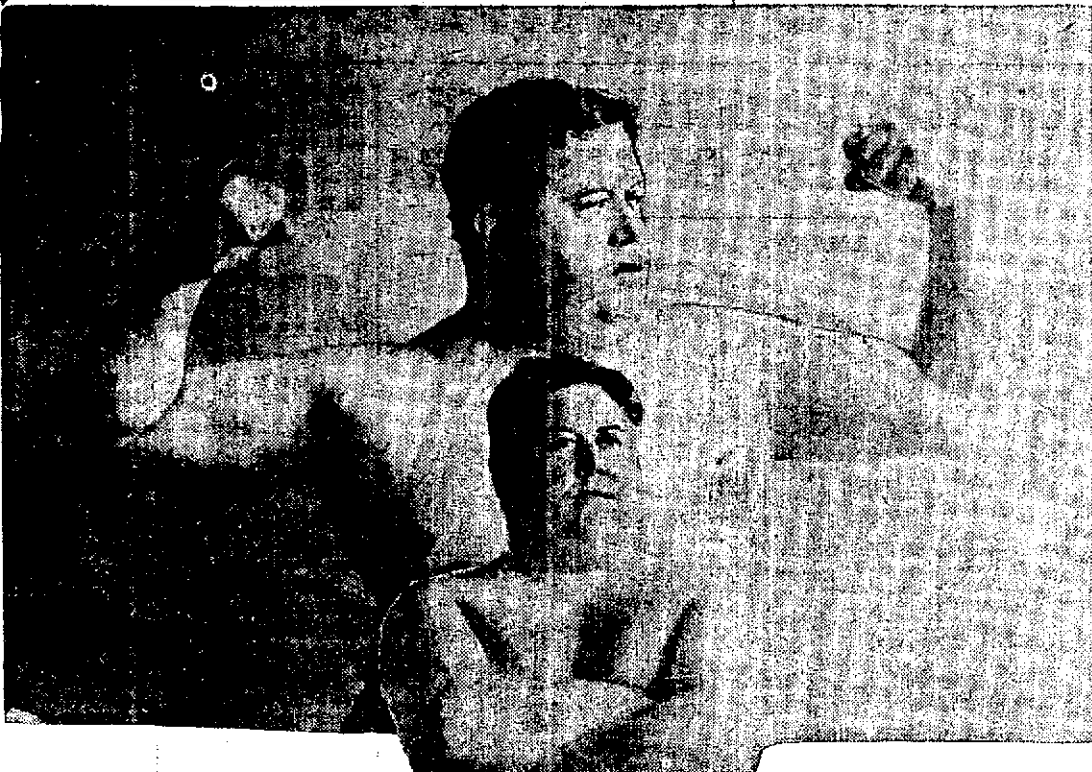
Edwards claims that Frayne out-weighted him at least ten pounds and that he butted and pushed him around the ring and did everything, in fact, but kick and tile him. Edwards says that he wants one more try at Frayne and would prefer to have it be a short distance contest.

West Oakland Contests.

The West Oakland Club has announced the card for their show this month, which will take place Thursday night, February 27, at their Eighth-street gymnasium. Owing to the fact that the West Oakland organization was unable to hold a show during the month of January they have been allowed two this month and Tommy Simpson, that matchmaker of the club, has announced that he has every reason to believe that the list of events will prove interesting.

In the six round events Lew Powell, the former four round champion, and Kid Harrison will furnish the main event. Charley Kelly and Young Dempsey will furnish the first of the longer contests. The three four round preliminaries will be made up of the following: Young Turner vs. Kid Alameda, Joe Baker vs. Billy O'Brien and Kid Locke vs. Johnnie Stanton.

BABY TOSO DE RAYMOND, THE BELGIAN HARE, WHO WILL WRESTLE LEOPOLD MCLAGLEN A JIU JITSU MATCH AT DREAMLAND RINK IN SAN FRANCISCO NEXT THURSDAY EVENING.



SAN FRANCISCO MAY BE SCENE OF NEXT POOL CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Negotiations are now under way for a world's championship pool match to be played in San Francisco between Tommy Houston, undisputed champion of the world, and Harry Hart, challenger.

Houston is a New York man, who is now a resident of St. Louis. He recently defeated Jerome Keogh, the Buffalo expert, at Buffalo, N. Y.

Houston is a remarkable pool player. He showed once in San Francisco against

Charlie Carney, whom he easily defeated. John T. Clarke telegraphed Houston last night that the following terms would be extended to him:

"Three-night tournament, 800 points; 75 per cent of the gate receipts to go to the winner and 25 for expenses. The match to be played in the Central billiard hall; Houston to be allowed \$250 expenses and a \$100 side bet to be made."

Houston was also advised that he could get his money covered up to \$1000, if he desired. Eddie Graney, who is managing Hart, is willing to bet \$500 and E. M. Cole

of the Gem parlors will make a substantial bet.

As Houston has no engagement at present it is thought that he will accept this offer.

In the continuous pool tournament that is being held at the Gem billiard parlors F. Godeski last night defeated I. Cantor by three balls. Godeski took the lead at the start and held it throughout. Cantor had an elegant chance to win, but lost trim for early cancer, said Wein, who scored Godeski 85, Cantor 32, high run, Godeski, 15; Cantor 10.

KELLER AND GARDNER FIGHT A LIVELY DRAW

Cockey O'Brien Hurls Valuable Advice to 'String' From the Corner of the Ring.

BY T. P. MAGILLIGAN.

Terry Keller, the string bean brawler, from Ogden, Utah, gained a draw with Dale Gardner in the main event at the Reliance Athletic Club last night.

Keller is built like a human lightning rod and fights like a living gyroscope. The keenest observer would miss by a mile any description of the fighting style of Keller. He flourishes about the ring like a flying fish to climb a crab apple tree, but somehow or other he manages to get results.

For assimilating punches nothing short of Gibraltar has anything on the human slat.

In the opening round of the contest Keller left his chin as open as Bullfight Nevada.

Zap! Gardner shot his right fist plump to the mark.

Keller made a rapid transit to the floor, and he looked to the spectators as though he failed to get his transfer properly marked. But Terry was game. He started to wriggle, and finally he managed to get his entire length straightened out again in a perpendicular position.

Gardner Sails In.

Gardner then sailed after him, and it looked as though Cockey O'Brien, who was in Keller's corner, was getting ready to send in a hurry up call for the red-roar wagon. Keller looked a sort of foolish, but he managed to stick out this round. Gardner went back to his corner smiling. It looked as though he and Joe Cabral were fixing up the percentage of the split, and there was nothing but jubilation in Gardner's corner.

In the excitement that prevailed in Keller's corner, Cockey O'Brien began to fan Keller with a Pasteurized frankfurter, and the fumes from the succulent vegetable seemed to have the desired effect on Keller for he managed to toe the scratch for the second round.

As Keller made a lead for Gardner, Cockey began yelling: "That's the one, string, old boy, just slip it on his lug. A few of those will bring home the frankfurters."

Poor Keller fared badly in this round and he was being buffeted around the ring like a rudderless ship, but he was a marvel for assimilating every kind of a wallop from the scissor cross, to what Jack George calls a Dinwiddie drop, the most bloodthirsty punch in the ring. The third round found the men exchanging the role of a baseball battery. Keller was the catcher and Gardner was the pitcher. Keller didn't let any get by him. He stopped them all. Gardner, however, could not strike him out and the string hung it through.

A Tough Round.

What Gardner did to Keller in the fourth round would be unkind to mention. A kinetoscope couldn't record it. Dale hit Terry every place but in the heel.

It looked like curtains for slats. He wobbled around the ring like a prize poodle, trying to discover his fall, but this sort of milling disconcerted Gardner, and he asked Cabral to draw him a diagram so that he could locate the X on Keller's chin.

Gardner did everything—but murder Keller in the fourth. He had a high on his mercy, but Keller hung on like a policeman ivy around an oak and stayed the fourth.

Amateur Notes

The Academic baseball team of this academy has organized for the season of 1908. They are anxious to meet any public or private school team, average fifteen years. Games to be played on our grounds, beginning Saturday, March 21. They have dates open for Wednesday, Saturdays and Sundays during April, May and June. All games, except Sunday, when two games are played, are played in the afternoon. Address all challenges to the manager of the Academic Baseball Club. Lines up must be sent with challenge.

Line up: J. Wilson, pitcher or third base; J. Varrack, pitcher or third base; R. Artiga, pitcher or left field; Kid Mohler, shortstop; W. Cunningham, catcher; M. Pranks, first base; M. Torres, second base; J. Ahem, center field; A. Judge, right field; R. Gillogley, catcher; coach, B. E. Peter.

The well known Oakland National baseball team of last year will this year be known as the C. H. Hammit team. Last year this team defeated most every amateur team in the State that ranged from 16 to 20 years of age. The Nationals played thirty-six games and were on the losing end only six times. There will be few new players as most of last year's will be with the team. The last year players will be Thomson, Rhuman, Sperry, McCarthy, Bankhead and Smith. The new players are Bernard, Bridgman. The other new man will probably be Newland. Teams wishing games should address Henry Meiermann, 822 Isabelle street, Oakland, Cal.

The business of the meeting will be the enrollment of new clubs and the election of officers.

A practice game between the Corinthians and Barbarians was played on the baseball grounds in Golden Gate Park Sunday and won by the Corinthians. G. E. Wilson, 16, not out, and H. H. Pennington, 16, were the highest scorers for the Corinthians, while Price, 13, and Baker and Marshall showed promise with the bat for the Barbarians.

Terjeant was the star bowler of the day and accounted for the majority of the Barbarians' wickets. The Barbarians and Corinthians have arranged for an all day game at the baseball grounds for next Sunday.

Johnnie Coulon and Young Terry McGovern have been matched by Tom McCarty to fight in the city either March 10, 13 or 17. Coulon is considered the best man in the 105 pound class. McGovern is well thought of by the Los Angeles men.

Piedmont Turkish Baths. Salt water swim. 24th St. and Oakland ave.

Reilly Is Classy. Little Charley Reilly and George Leahy put up the classic fight of the evening. Reilly is a cool little fellow and knows the game. He has a useful left and knows when to bring the right over. He won the decision and if the boy gets in good shape he will be a hard lad for any one near his weight to conquer.

Jeff Perry won the opener from Walter Camp, who showed himself to be a game boy. In the bout between Young Lavigne and Jimmy Reagan, Young Lavigne tried to emulate Dave Devil Jack Davis. Lavigne mistook the canvas for a swimming pool for he dove into the matt face foreword at least 101 times without being pushed off the springboard by Reagan.

In the third round Lavigne went to the bottom like a submarine boat. Referee Smith sent for a dredging machine to find the lost body, but before he came back Lavigne was counted out.

Eddie Burns, a brother to Tommy Burns in name only, got a horrible lacing in his mix up with Jack Ryan. Ryan flattened Burns almost at will and in the third round he sent Burns to dreamland. Burns is a game boy. But to say that he will ever approach his brother as a ringman would be as large a stretch of the imagination as to say that a goat could take an elephant up in his back and carry him to the top of Mt. Tumpahi.

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OWNER W. P. FINE SCORES WITH SILVA AND ARCOURT

Be Thankful Wins First Bracket at Meeting; Clean-Up Made on the Win of St. Senicus—Gossip.

BY LEE DEMIER.

Yesterday for the first time in many years the track was in good condition at Williams Park, and the bright, warm day attracted a large crowd to the course. The card offered was composed of about as bad a lot of horse-flesh as could be brought together, and the talent failed to land one of the six favorites nominated.

Considering the cheap lot of horse-flesh which lined up at the tape in the opening event, it was run remarkably true to form—the three choices finishing in the money. Be Thankful, the second choice, had clear sailing all the way and romped home ahead of Bannatyne, which had a slight edge in the betting at post time. Zick Abrams was noosed out of the place in the final jump.

Silva, a 25 to 1 chance from the stable of W. P. Fine, furnished the surprise in the second race. The Kinley Macle, gelding began moving up in the stretch, and gradually overhauled his field, winning pulling up at the wire. Gov. Orman showed the yellow streak when challenged, and was lucky to save the place from breakleaf. The latter needed this race and will soon do.

W. P. Fine put another juicy one over the fence when Arcourt, at 105 easily chased the mile dash, third on the list. Fisher shot the winner right to the front and just breezed all the way. Mabel Hollander outgamed Ban Lord for second position. Silver Sue, the choice, was given a poor ride and apparently under a pull all the way.

Speedy Tawassentha was away on her toes in the fourth, and simply uprooted her field from wire to wire. Dick Wilson at 40 to 1 thought this was his day and hung on unusually well. Mulford came with a belated rush, and grabbed the show. Senator Beckman, the choice, could not outrun a fat man.

In a fierce drive of three Cuernavaca, the 10 to 1 shot, got up in time to nose out the last riding Titus in the fifth race. L. C. Achery closed like a cyclone, and in another jump would have snatched the place.

The final favorite was bowled over when in a hard drive St. Senicus, at 2 to 1, snatched the purse in the sixth race. Fielded disposed of Patriotic for the place.

An interesting and classy card is offered race fans today. The main item of interest to turfites will be the Derby trial, which will serve to test the metal of the probable Derby candidates, and from the line up should result in a smart contest. The Alvis handicap is also fun for decision and all in all the program is an improvement of that of the past two days.

The Golden Gate contingent rolled in at 11 o'clock for the four mile and Arcourt got their through bill of lading.

Bookmaker George Lewston thought John H. had a chance to connect the first race. He backed up his judgment with a good bet. John just had enough left to stagger in fourth.

Bookmaker Edwin T. Fryer swung to Jack Crane pulled himself together before the horses were going to the post in the first race and put a small wager on Be Thankful, which won the opening introductory with something to spare.

Ten Oaks was the best horse in the first race. The Rubart gelding got off absolutely last and finished a bang up fifth.

Lady Bache got some support but that was all.

Gil Curry and his friends would have cleaned up handsomely had Bannatyne gathered in the first race. Curry's gelding had bad racing luck throughout.

Owner J. B. Dunn thought Governor Orman could not lose the second race. Just when everything looked rosy Silva, from the barn of Billy Fines, dropped from the clouds and upset the cream.

The knoed ones backed up Cerro Santa from 6 to 1 up to 16 to 1.

Tab Mrs. Nugent-Fountain's filly ran a smashing good race over six furlongs of ground. She got off tenth and was then beaten a neck by Brookship for show honors.

Byron flattened his backers. The matches gelding was well thought of by the knowing ones.

Lustly was a sad disappointment to those in the know.

Bookmaker Ed. Boule layed tops on everything the public bet on yesterday. Arcourt, from the barn of W. P. Fine, was the good thing that was not bet on.

Frank Does stood to win \$2000 had Mabel Hollander made good.

Blue Eyes, the Oregon Express, was a quarter in the second race. She was nibbled at by the jungle element, but Sheridan's mare showed nothing.

"Well, look where here," said the parrot to the owl, when St. Senicus dropped into the pay station.

Trainer Dave Henry cashed several tickets on Ban Lord to show.

Owner Ed. Triller only placed a small wager on Princess Louise. The mare just needed that race.

The backers of Boloman had a kick coming.

Owner St. Emery will sell off his horses in training at public auction.

A dispute concerning the taking up of some markers that Benny Falk is

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IRELAND'S INDEPENDENTS WIN FROM BLUE AND GOLD

CLIF Ireland's unbeatable Independents, the champion catch-as-catch-can ball players of America, Japan, South Asia and Sumatra, defeated the varsity team of California University yesterday afternoon by a score of 7 to 3.

CLIF Ireland was up on his toes all the time and his coaching was the feature of the game. CLIF said after the game that the reason he played right field was that if he played any other position he would handicap his opponents too badly. CLIF admits that the Chicago Cubs have a chance with his aggregation, but he says he has been looking through the big telescope on Mt. Hamilton and he cannot see any other team able to give his braves battle.

Ireland's team has issued a challenge to meet the White Sox. Coach Dickinson tried out a number of his team men and this accounts in a certain measure for the defeat of the varsity nine.

Jerry Denny, America's foremost slatter, lent lustre to the crowd by being among these press. Line-up: California—White, Ghitardelli, Christen and Bush, pitchers; Johnson, catcher; R. Myers, first base; Earnist, second base; Smith, third base; Lewis, center field; Myers, left field; Solarsky, shortstop; Steele, right field.

Ireland's—Perrine, pitcher; Ellis, catcher; Keener, first base; Hartman, second base; Devereaux, third base; K. Kune, shortstop; Helmtuller, left field; Doyle, center field; Ireland, right field.

OAKLAND HIGH HANGS THE SKIDOO SIGN ON WHITES

Oakland's High School nine defeated the White Academy team yesterday afternoon by the mere score of 23 to 0. It only took them seven innings to accomplish this feat for the White boys. When Oakland reached the skidoo number they thought it time to blow and the game was the Oakland High School boys in danger of being scored against. They simply pulled and hauled the Academicians until they were tired and then

walked away with the remnants. The lads in blue turned out to be a bunch of Le Jole's and swatted out twenty hits out of forty-five times at bat.

The heavy sluggers on the Oakland team got in their good work and elapsed out six doubles and two triples. Calderwood and Menges were there strong with the willow, the former getting three doubles and Menges two doubles. The Oaklanders again played errorless ball and it was their fifth straight victory.

ROSEBEN IS NOT IN THE GREAT CARTER HANDICAP

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—When the event of the spring racing season, close of Roseben, the champion sprinter of A. Weir, it was learned, had persuaded Rose the big weight carrier in the early events, for trial for early races, said Weir, who started "We raced him early several weeks before the Belmont Park meeting."

It is stated that the blood poisoning had no influence upon the decision not to handicap, as he has fully recovered.

ries for the Carter Handicap, the first big yesterday, it was found that the name America, was missing. Trainer Frank Beck's owner, David Johnson, not to enter "Roseben is a hard horse to get in, much to his injury. He will hardly

from which the animal suffered last fall to enter him for the Carter or other early

Olympic Nine to Play Cardinals

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—The Olympic Club baseball team will journey to Stanford Saturday afternoon, where they will play the Cardinal team. This will be the first of a series of three games which will be played this season. The Winged G boys have been practicing in the Golden Gate Park and will put a good team in the field. Lyman, who pitched for the Sacred Heart team last

Olympic Men to Visit Santa Rosa

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—George James and Charley Foley, the two Olympic Club players, first base and pitcher, respectively, together with Carl Gardner and Maurice McLoughlin are to take part in the tennis carnival at Santa Rosa on February 22. Charley Foley recently joined the Olympic Club.

Noted Ball Player Dies at Cincinnati

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Suffering from rheumatism of the heart, Charles J. Swezey, a noted baseball player and a member of the famous old-time Cincinnati Red Stockings, is dying in a Newark, N. J., hospital. Swezey was born in New York in 1847, and after a few seasons with amateur teams in New Jersey, was second baseman on the Cincinnati team in 1869 and 1870. Baltimore, St. Louis, Cleveland and Boston were other cities in which he played. A notable League ball. While playing in the minor leagues in the early eighties he contracted rheumatism, from which he never recovered.

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AND NOW IT'S SPRECKELS WANTS TO BE U. S. SENATOR

With Heney Behind Him He Seeks to Gain Control of the State Legislature.

(From San Francisco Examiner of February 18, 1908.)

The main topic of gossip among politicians today concerns what is generally accepted as an organized attempt on the part of Rudolph Spreckels and Francis J. Heney to secure control of the State Legislature, the congressmen and everything else that appertains to politics in city and state.

It is whispered that Spreckels would like to oust United States Senator Perkins from his high office and appoint his successor, and that he proposes to do this through the Lincoln-Roosevelt Republican League, with the approval and co-operation of the various local governing bodies of the Republican party. The story is that Heney is associated in the scheme with Spreckels, and that Detective Burns has been pressed into service.

Dan Ryan's Move.

This much is actually known about the matter: Shortly after the Taylor campaign last year, Francis J. Heney met Dan A. Ryan, the unsuccessful Republican candidate for Mayor, at lunch. Ryan had just returned from Sacramento, where at a meeting of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League he had tendered his resignation as vice-president.

There was some agreement over Ryan's candidacy in opposition to Taylor, and Dan took what he believed to be the only course open to him. At the same time he offered his services to the league as a private soldier in the ranks, and his offer was accepted.

Upon his return Heney sought him out, and at the luncheon referred to, the men present, besides Heney and Ryan, were a Los Angeles member of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League named Lisher and its State organizer, Chester Rowell. Heney then proposed to Ryan that he bring the Republican county committee and the Lincoln-Roosevelt League together to the end that with the help of the Independent Republicans a united front might be presented to the forces of the Heney organization.

Heney's Suggestion.

"Suppose you support a committee of three, say from the county committee to confer with a similar committee from the Lincoln-Roosevelt League," suggested Heney.

The upshot of the conversation was that Ryan, who up to that time had serious thoughts of relinquishing his hold upon the Republican county committee, agreed to do as Heney requested, and at the same time to take no definite action until Heney's return from Oregon.

The next day Ryan sent for former State Senator Hamilton Bauer, T. E.

Martin, the tailor, and J. G. Giesling, manager of a safe company, and told them he had appointed them a committee from the governing body to talk things over with the executive committee of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League.

"But don't do anything till you hear from me. I want to wait till Heney gets back from Oregon," said Ryan.

No Conference Yet.

No conference has taken place as yet. The members of the committee have heard nothing since the day Ryan sent for them. Today Martin stands as chairman of the campaign committee appointed by Chairman Dan of the Republican county committee, and as such is doing the best he knows to join forces with the Lincoln-Roosevelt League. Giesling has not yet come out in the open, but Bauer has and in no measured terms.

"I'm not for any Lincoln-Roosevelt League or any other side show," he declares. "I'm an organization man every time."

Extraordinary Position.

All this is common property now, and accounts for what at first appeared a most extraordinary and entirely unprecedented position for certain members of the Republican county committee to assume. Dan Ryan himself has always been for reform and was elected first vice-president of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League when it organized last August; but there are others in the movement, whose views when pronounced, have not been in the same direction.

Meanwhile there is food for gossip in the attitude of Spreckels and Heney. It is reported that Spreckels is prepared to lend financial aid to the movement, and there are men looking on who see in this but the demolition of one boss or set of bosses, to set up others in their place.

Warned of Doom.

Already the word has gone forth that Senator Perkins is to go also. Congressman Kahn and Hayes. All the retiring State senators and assemblymen from San Francisco with the exception of Senator Dick Welch, have been warned of impending doom. One energetic legislator roared with laughter when informed "They'll have the time of their lives besting me," he said. "If they think they can hold for Roosevelt any longer than I can they'll get left. I'll Roosevelt 'em off the map!"

RACE ENTRIES TOMORROW

Williams' Park

FIRST RACE—Futurity course; selling; three-year-olds and up:

2148 Curriculum	127
1757 Karenina	108
2153 Balreid	115
2153 Reese W.	108
(2156) Prince Brutus	181
2175 El Oros	134
2183 Vronsky	115
1770 Sir August	110
2148 Billy Myer	115
Lee Crest	118
1897 Gaimore	120
Bass	131
2155 Elevation	131

SECOND RACE—Three furlongs; purse; maiden two-year-olds colts and geldings:

2052 Bill Eaton	109
2154 Sir Davy	109
2118 Mozart	111
2130 Novgorod	108
2154 Lookout	113
2070 J. F. Daly	114
2154 J. W. Purer	110
The Drake (T. H. Williams)	115
Ch. a. Altamex-Duckling	
King Ferdinand	
(W. E. Applegate)	115
Ch. a. Alntree-Isabella	
Gary Gramly (Lone Pine Stable)	112
Br. a. Osmay-Eda II	
Sir Alvecot (McGovern & Co.)	112
B. g. Alvecot-Elderlie	
Mamont (El Primero Stable)	112
B. g. Maxine-Posey Montrose	
Capt. Hanson (Ordma Stable)	112
Ch. g. Salvado-Miss Alice III	

THIRD RACE—One mile; selling; 2-year-olds and up:

2178 Brookleaf	108
2179 Sun ord	102
1075 Vanna	100
(2181) Cuernavaca	107
2153 Buto	105
2175 Catherine F.	95
2143 Marian Louise	100
1863 High Gun	107
(2156) Bandonia	107

FOURTH RACE—One mile, The Redwood handicap, 3-year-olds and up; value \$300:

2174 Janeta	100
(2152) Stanley, Fay	101
(2156) Fred Bent	111
1845 Peter Sterling	118
2174 Spring Ban	90
2144 Red Leaf	104

FIFTH RACE—One mile, selling; 3-year-olds:

2181 Mrs. O'Farrell	100
2124 Rustler	102
2182 Patriotic	100
2051 Bobby Shafto	102
2124 Billy Watkins	102
2045 No Father	107
1708 Wuerzberger	102
2146 Slightly	102
2159 San Gil	102

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse; 2-year-olds and up:

2174 St. Elmwood	102
2183 Dorado	104
2188 Rather Royal	101
2183 Pontotoc	101
1506 Kruka	89
2098 Vox Populi	102
2159 Bannock Bob	85
2174 Tavora	102
2186 El Casador	99
1614 Monvins	94

*Apprentice allowance.

Santa Anita Park

FIRST RACE—Seven furlongs, selling:

Red Knight	100
Toller	100
By Fly	100
Master Lester	100
Astral H.	100
Red Thistle	100
Tattenham	100
Hush	100
Catharine	100
Charles Green	100
Rosal	100
All Right	100
Huapala	100
Joie's Jewell	100
Dr. White	100

SECOND RACE—Two-year-olds, seven-sixteenths:

Horace H.	130
Duke of Milan	140
Vaijean	110
Mattie Russell	100
Harry Stanhope	100
Frieze	100
Miss Alvecot	100
Instant	99
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THIRD RACE—Eleven sixteenths of a mile:

Halea	110
Harcourt	110
E. M. Fry	110
Water Miller	110
Mossback	107
John C. Rice	107
Fort Mahone	107
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Velma C.	105

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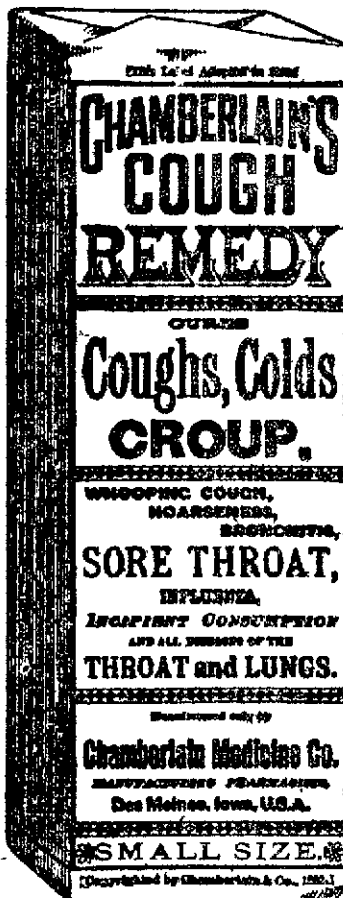
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DRUNKEN FIREMEN TO BE DISMISSED

Mayor Mott and Engineer Turner
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Next Inebriates.

"I will vote to discharge the next fireman found drunk on duty," said City Engineer Turner at a meeting of the board of police and fire commissioners this morning.

"My vote will go the same way as yours," said Mayor Mott.

These expressions followed the action of the board in suspending Michael Quigley, stoker of No. 2 engine, and Ed Robinson, driver of hose wagon No. 1, for having been found drunk on duty. Quigley is suspended until March 1 and Robinson to March 5. On motion of City Attorney M. Elroy, City Engineer Turner was instructed to draft rules concerning drunkenness, the rules to be posted in conspicuous positions in all fire houses.

Quigley and Robinson have both been in trouble before on similar charges. Chief of Police Wilson was requested by the board to censure Sergeant T. Brown for using authority outside of the limits. Brown had been charged by Bookmaker Earl of Emeryville with battery, Brown alleging that Brown had struck him, breaking his jaw, during an argument.

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DRIVES TACK IN BOY'S TONGUE; MISSING

Girl Charged With Cruelty Escapes Arrest by Leaving Home.

CANAL DOVER, O., Feb. 19. — Up to noon today it was impossible for chief of police Stringer to find Miss Clara Sterling, assistant matron of the Tuscarawas County Children's Home, for whose arrest he holds a warrant. The charge is that Miss Sterling, who is twenty-four years old and pretty, drove a tack through the tongue of a male inmate of the home.

Humane Official Jackson, in swearing out the warrants declared Miss Sterling had openly admitted calling the boy, Simpson Fowler, before the school when he denied that he stole a pencil from a fellow pupil, compelling him to stand before the entire school, his tongue extended over the back of a chair and then, using a hammer, pounded a tack through the tongue which she suspected of giving voice to an untruth.

The child is under the care of Dr. C. D. Helfing of New Philadelphia. Miss Sterling, Chief of Police Stringer said tonight, would be arrested tomorrow morning.

E. W. Chapman, a janitor, is said by Humane Official Jackson to have originated the action which resulted in the swearing out of the warrant for Miss Sterling. Chapman, Jackson said tonight, came to him last night and told him a boy's tongue had been perforated by a tack driven by the teacher with a hammer.

"Jackson and I visited the home to investigate this morning," said Chief Stringer. "Miss Sterling openly admitted calling the boy up before the rest of the children, compelling him to place his tongue on a chair back and then pounding a tack nearly through the tongue with a small hammer. We called several of the children as witnesses. They confirmed the entire story."

WILL GIVE MUSICALS FOR ST. JOHN'S BAZAAR

The program for the musicale tomorrow evening in St. John's church for the bazaar will be as follows: Duet, Mrs. Crowley and Miss Bendel; Hawaiian song, Miss Johanne and Master Henry Haneberg; violin solo, Miss Davies, accompanied by Miss Andree Beer; song, Mrs. H. L. Whitehead; Hawaiian song, Miss Johanne and Master Henry Haneberg; duet, Mrs. Crowley and Miss Bendel.

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STANFORD STUDENTS ARE AGAINST LIQUOR CRUSADE

Declare Present Reform Movement Unnecessary.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 19. — The students' affairs committee held an informal meeting last night to discuss plans and a definite policy regarding drinking liquor.

Conditions on the campus, the exact number and names of the fraternities against drinking and the number of private "busts" in the hall will be investigated.

Nearly all the residents of Elmhurst Hall

declare that there have been fewer "beer busts" in the hall this year than ever before.

A junior transfer from California named Herman Rittigsten, declares that there is practically no drinking going on here at all, not nearly so much as at the University of California. Many others express the opinion that there is absolutely no occasion for the present agitation of the trustees and the faculty against the liquor problem, when the campus was in its most temperate stage.

Serenade Prof. Durand.

Nearly every male student on the campus engaged in a midnight serenade of Professor Durand, chairman of the former committee.

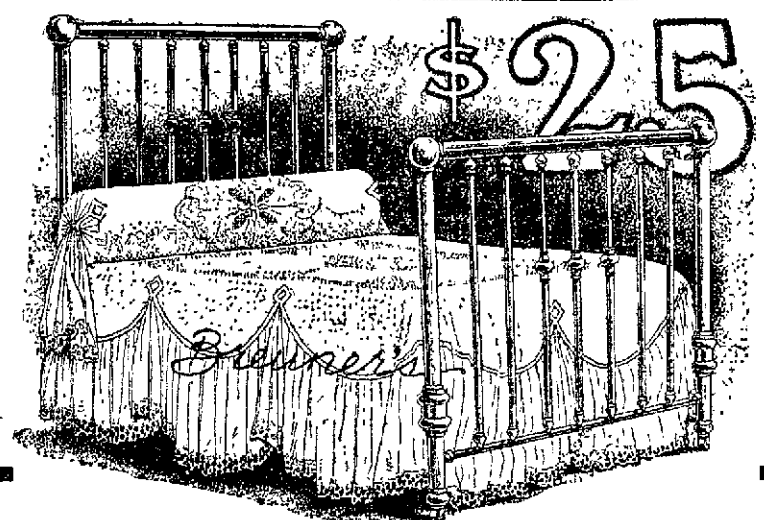
Carl McPherson, a prominent temperance student emphatically declares that the old students' affairs committee

resigned because the members were afraid to perform their duty. This is the sentiment of a large number of the Y. M. C. A. members, but still there were only a few here who did not endorse Durand by joining in the serenade parade.

Keeping Open House.

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